

DEATH TOLL IN OKLAHOMA STORM 11

SECTION OF ROUMANIAN CITY IS DESOLATE FOLLO WING EXPLOSIONS

BUCHAREST SCENE OF CONFUSION AS BIG ARSENAL BURNS

Damage Estimated Early
Thursday at More Than
Five Millions.

Bucharest, Roumania, May 29.—A whole section of this city was desolate and deserted today as a result of a series of explosions resulting from the burning of a great government arsenal. Intermittent explosions continue. The schools have been closed. The damage is estimated at more than \$5,000,000.

While no loss of life was reported, many persons were injured.

Members of the Roumanian royal family and the former King and Queen of Greece fled from the Cotroceni palace when one explosion only two miles distant, rocked the building and sent the plaster crashing from the ceilings.

Parliament was forced to suspend its session.

Immediately following the outbreak of fire in the arsenal there was a terrific blast and then began a bombardment as stores of high explosive shells exploded. It sounded like a battle.

Shells and flaming debris set off powder magazines and military warehouses where explosives were stored.

EASTERN TIME IS ADOPTED BY CITY OF WILMINGTON

Wilmington will begin operation on Eastern standard time Saturday, June 7, at 6 o'clock in the evening.

The time change was provided by city council at a meeting Monday night in order to make the time conform with other cities in this section.

In passing the ordinance to make Eastern Standard time permanent in Wilmington, the city council turned down an ordinance introduced at the same time to provide daylight saving time for the summer only. The ordinance was passed by a vote of 6 to 1.

The action was taken because Eastern time has been adopted by Columbus and Washington, C. H., while Cincinnati, Xenia, Dayton, Springfield and other cities in this section are operating during the summer on daylight saving time. Wilmington is still on Central standard time and will continue to be until the ordinance becomes effective June 7.

Washington and Wilmington are the first cities west of Columbus in this section of the state to adopt Eastern standard time permanently. Dayton, through its Chamber of Commerce, is agitating a transfer of the time zone west in order to include all of Ohio east of an imaginary line drawn between Cincinnati and Toledo, including Dayton and Lima. This change would put Xenia permanently in the Eastern time zone.

IDENTIFY MAN WHO HAS LOST MEMORY

Dayton, May 29.—A man who has been a patient at Miami Valley Hospital since Monday, as apparent amnesia victim, unable to tell his name or home, was identified yesterday afternoon as Alfred O. Edwards, of Ft. Thomas, Ky.

Edwards is said to have been conducting a search for his wife and son, who disappeared from Dayton, Ia., last summer and it is believed the worry and distress affected his mind. Identification was effected by F. L. Borchers and Harry J. Huffman of Ginghamburg, who knew Edwards two years ago.

Edwards was unable to recognize either former friend, however, although he has had his story told to him, is still unable to break the curtain that conceals his past. After several months fruitless search for his lost family which undermined his health, Edwards went to the home of his mother at Ft. Thomas to recuperate.

He left there Monday to go to Moscow, Ohio, to interview his father-in-law, but never arrived there. Instead it is believed the worry so affected him that he lost his memory on the train, and alighting at Dayton, found himself without name or home appealing to authorities. Relatives have been summoned to care for him.

FLYER HOOPS OFF

London, May 29.—Lieutenant Peltier, D'Oisy, French long distance flyer, left Shanghai, for Peking at five o'clock this morning, using a borrowed Chinese motor in his plane, said a Central News dispatch from Shanghai. D'Oisy passed over Nanking an hour and 45 minutes after leaving Shanghai.

FORMER AMBASSADOR DIES

Paris, May 29.—Paul. Gambon, French ambassador to England, from 1898 to 1920, died today, aged 81. He was one of the foremost members of the French diplomatic service, holding posts at Madrid and Constantinople.

FATHER SEEKS SLAYER OF SON



Jacob Franks, multi-millionaire Chicago manufacturer, is leading the search for the murderers of his son, Robert, 14, who was kidnapped on his way from school and slain. Following the killing the slayers demanded \$10,000 ransom for the boy, but the body was found before the boy's father could reach them with the money.

BORAH TOUTED FOR COOLIDGE'S RUNNING MATE

Senator Non-Committal On
Offer of Vice-Pres-
dency Post.

Washington, May 29.—Senator William E. Borah, of Idaho, whose political philosophy and views upon public questions closely parallel those of Calvin Coolidge, is being prevailed upon to accept the Republican vice presidential nomination at Cleveland. The matter has been put up to Borah by persons close to the president but the senator's decision has not been made. He is said to feel that his greatest service to the country could be performed by remaining in the senate, where his independence and ability have won him a commanding position, than by presiding over that body and cutting himself off from the give-and-take legislative battles in which he would participate on the floor.

On the other hand Borah is regarded as a potential candidate for president and by serving a term as vice president under Mr. Coolidge the way would be opened for him to receive the Republican presidential nomination in 1928 unless new political alignments disrupt present conditions.

Secretary of Commerce Hoover was being suggested for the second place on the ticket a few days ago, but he declares that he is not a candidate and does not want to be placed in the race.

With the question of a vice presidential candidate still up in the air, President Coolidge was also still undecided today on the man who will place him in nomination at the Cleveland convention.

Albert J. Beveridge of Indiana at one time was the almost unanimous selection of the president and his advisers but objections to the former Indiana senator have developed in some quarters. Today the names most prominently mentioned for the honor were former Governor Herbert Hadley of Missouri, who nominated Roosevelt in 1912, and Wallace McCamant, of Washington, who nominated Coolidge in 1920.

INJURED AS AUTO LEAVES THE ROAD

Mrs. Ot Williamson, of 211 Nor. h West Street, recovering from torn ligaments in her back and other injuries received in an automobile accident, between Urbana and Bellfontaine, Sunday evening. The machine driven by Mr. Williamson, was going at a moderate rate of speed when it struck a large culvert near a drop of eighteen feet, and left the road. Mrs. Williamson was thrown forward in the car and the wrench strained her back.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dutton, of Third and Columbus Streets, the other occupants. The car with Mr. and Mrs. Williamson was taken to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dutton where she was attended by Dr. A. D. DeHaven.

The party was returning from Russell Point when the accident happened.

INVESTIGATION OF PROHIBITION WILL BE MADE

House Committee To Delve
Into Every Phase of
Subject

Washington, May 29.—The house committee on the alcoholic liquor traffic has ordered an official investigation of the success or failure of prohibition.

A subcommittee was appointed to conduct the inquiry with authority to delve into every phase of the prohibition problem. The subcommittee was instructed to ascertain among other things whether or not the consumption of liquor had increased, and just to what extent the eighteenth amendment was being enforced.

Senator Couzens (Rep., Mich.) announced as his program a thorough investigation into "every unit of the internal revenue bureau," including the prohibition unit. Couzens is the author of the resolution under which a special senate committee was appointed to inquire into the operation of the bureau. He announced that if other committee members will agree to it, the committee will resume its work "as soon as possible after the political conventions." "I expect to show up the needs of the prohibition unit as well as the income tax unit of the bureau," the Michigan senator said.

The senate committee voted some weeks ago to make Francis J. Heney its prosecutor, and its proceedings are expected by both the friends and enemies of the Volstead act to enliven the political campaign. It is planned to summon responsible prohibition officials and gather from many sources a mass of evidence relating to charges of maladministration of the dry laws.

On the house side the inquiry will be under the direction of some of the leading drys in congress, who hold places on the subcommittee. The subcommittee's evidence, it was said, will be gathered largely from official reports and from a perusal of correspondence passing between enforcement agents and their chiefs. No witnesses will be called.

Confidential department of justice data on alleged Mexican border gun running plots were removed from the department's files by William J. Burns, former director of the bureau of investigation, Senator Wheeler of Montana charged before the Daugherty committee.

Wheeler said the committee had searched for several special delivery letters bearing on a "revolutionary plot" and was unable to locate them in department files. The committee learned, he said, that the documents were removed from the main file room and placed in the confidential files in Burns' office, but could trace them no further.

President Coolidge signed the naval appropriation bill containing a rider authorizing him to call another arms limitation conference to deal with cruisers, submarines and air craft.

STAGE COMEDIAN HELD ON CHARGE OF FOLLIES GIRL

New York, May 29.—Frank Tinney, nationally known stage comedian, was arrested today on a charge of having "feloniously assaulted" twenty-one year old Imogene Wilson, a Ziegfeld Follies beauty. Several days ago, Miss Wilson, formerly a convent girl of St. Joseph, Mo., attempted suicide, and a day or two later Tinney beat her, she charged.

Tinney was arrested at his summer home at Baldwin, N. Y., and held in the Nassau County Jail until Manhattan police arrived. He refused to make any statement.

Detectives had been searching for Tinney since late yesterday when a warrant was issued for his arrest. In her complaint Miss Wilson alleged Tinney came to her apartment Tuesday evening, threw her on the floor, beat her and pulled her hair out by the roots.

The girl has the appearance of having been struck by an automobile," said Dr. Jerome Wagner, who examined her injuries. "It was a most brutal attack."

ATTEMPTED ESCAPE RESULTS IN DEATH

Mansfield, O., May 29.—A plot among a group of prisoners to escape from the Ohio State Reformatory, resulted in the death of the alleged leader, Daniel Webster Pulliam, 20, a colored man sent here from the Ohio State penitentiary and the wounding of W. C. Rodgers, one of the guards.

W. C. Cook, another guard, came to the rescue of Rodgers. Pulliam's home was in Cleveland.

BOY CALMLY CONFESSES MURDER



Smoking a cigarette, while his legs dangled over a table on which he sat, Roland MacDonald, (right) farm boy, calmly confessed that he concealed himself in the bushes by the Maine Amherst Highway and fired a charge of buckshot into the breast of his 19-year-old school teacher, Miss Louise Gerrish, of Amherst, Me. He dragged the body off the road

went home, ate supper and went to bed. Next day he stole a shovel and buried the body in the shallow grave in which it was found. Asked why he committed the crime, he said, "I dunno. I just saw her coming down the road and decided to shoot her. That's all there was to it." His brother, Victor MacDonald, two years his junior, is held as a material witness.

PRESBYTERIAN ASSEMBLY PASSES FOSDICK QUESTION TO NEXT MEET

Grand Rapids, Mich., May 29.—The last will and testament—if it could be written, of the 136th general assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America would read: "I hereby bequeath to the 137th general assembly to be held at Columbus, Ohio, the entire Fossdick controversy to be acted upon as life assembly sees fit."

Adoption by the assembly shortly before it closed here last night of the majority report of the judiciary commission, recommending that Harry Emerson Fossdick, Baptist ordained minister, acting as supply pastor in First Presbyterian church of New York, be notified that he must accept doctrinal standards of the

Presbyterian Church or relinquish his pulpit, was held by leaders in both factions as a mere deferment of the modernist fundamentalist clash.

The judiciary body's report stipulated that a committee named by the New York Presbytery confer with Fossdick concerning his willingness to enter the Presbyterian Church and become subject to its authority and report to the general assembly at its next meeting. The action, as expressed in the words of Elder James L. Rankin, of Chester, Pa., "simply leaves it for another year to stir up turmoil, strife and war."

Several cities made bids for the 1925 assembly, Columbus, Ohio, winning the vote.

U. S. LEGATION PROTESTS TAKING MISSIONARIES BY CHINESE BANDITS

Pekin, May 29.—The United States legation today lodged a protest with the Chinese government against the capture of two American missionaries, Rex Ray, of Richmond, Va., and Dr. H. G. Miller of 69 Eighth Avenue, New York City, by Chinese bandits.

Ray was affiliated with the Southern Baptist Convention Mission headquarters and Miller with the Christian and Missionary Alliance headquarters.

Ray and Miller were members of a rescue party that had set out from Wu Chow, province of Kwang-Si to aid a party of American Christian and Missionary Alliance station at Kweilin. This party was attacked by bandits and two members were reported killed and two British citizens captured.

Miller and Ray traveled up the Kwei river but were attacked and captured by bandits at Tsaiwang.

American Consul Chamberlain at Canton has left for the scene of the capture to attempt to gain the missionaries' release.

During the past seven days an American lumberman named Dinsmore was murdered, two missionaries from Kweilin were reported killed, two American missionaries were captured and three British citizens were reported captured by Fukien and Kwanghi bandits.

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FRANKLIN COUNTY AUT HORITIES SEEK MAN WHO HELD UP TRACTION CAR WEDNESDAY

Columbus, O., May 29.—Franklin County authorities this morning resumed their search for the bandit, who singlehanded, held up an interurban car near Hibernia, late last night, robbed the crew and eight passengers of \$75 and escaped. The same bandit is believed to be the one who, a few minutes later, attempted to rob a store in Hibernia.

A dozen motorists on the National Highway saw the bandit line up the crew and passengers within the east-bound car of the Columbus, Newark and Zanesville traction company. At the highwayman's command the car had been stopped in the middle of the road.

Ned Roe and Cary Varner, both of Newark, were the motorman and conductor respectively.

At Hibernia, the bandits plans were shattered when John Slagel, son of

the proprietor of the store, commanded the bandit to "get out." The robber fled.

OHIO MIDSHIPMAN KILLED IN SCHOOL PLAY AT ANNAPOLIS

Annapolis, Md., May 29.—Leicester R. Smith, midshipman, of Kent, O., was killed at the naval academy yesterday. Thrown from the sea-wall by classmates, he was struck on the head by the mast of a small sailboat which had overturned. It has been the custom at the academy for members of the second class to throw each other overboard on the occasion of receiving their class rings. This custom was being carried out yesterday, when the tragedy occurred.

Smith's body was recovered. The affair is being investigated. Smith's father, Colonel Smith, lost his life in France during the world war. He was with Canadian troops.

MAN IMPLICATED IN FRANKS MURDER IS UNDER ARREST

Louisville, Ky., May 29.—C. F. Heath, 35, druggist of Chicago, found unconscious in his apartment at the Coker Hotel here this morning, after being removed to the city hospital made a statement in which he said, he admitted implication in the kidnapping and murder case of Jacob Franks, 13 year old son of

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CYCLONE SWEEPS OVER SECTION OF STATE; HOMES ARE WIPED OUT

Wednesday Disturbance
Leaves Path of Destruction
In Its Wake.

WETUMKA SUFFERS

One Hundred Residents of
State Injured According
To Reports

Oklahoma City, Okla., May 29.—The death toll today in the cyclone which swept through certain sections of Oklahoma late yesterday, had reached eleven.

According to reports received here Wetumka was struck the worst blow of any of the towns in which the storm passed. Nine persons were known dead at that little town, which is twenty miles from Holdenville. Two persons lost their lives at Wagon, fifteen miles south of Muskogee, further reports said.

About 10 persons were injured, of which from twenty to thirty are in a serious condition. Doctors from Holdenville and Okemuh, were ordered there this morning.

The fierce wind travelled directly through Wetumka's residential section, wiping out several blocks of homes. The damage there alone was conservatively estimated at \$100,000.

GOVERNOR DECLINES TO STOP MATCH

Indianapolis, May 29.—Under the Indiana law, boxing exhibitions are permitted, but prize fights are prohibited. Governor Branch has been assured that the Carpenter-Gibbons contest, next Saturday is to be a boxing exhibition, and with this understanding he has declined to interfere.

To make sure that the Indiana laws will be upheld, Governor Branch has requested Adjutant General Harry B. Smith of the Indiana national guard to attend the contest as the representative of the executive and to take with him persons sufficiently acquainted with fist encounters to be able to determine a boxing exhibition from a prize fight. General Smith said he had been assured by the La Porte county officials of their co-operation in preventing any violation of the state law.

ATTEMPT TO LIMIT TERMS IS FAILURE

Springfield, Mass., May 29.—An effort to limit tenure of office of bishops to eight years, instead of life, was defeated at the Methodist general conference here.

Bishop William F. Anderson of the Cincinnati area was transferred to Boston and Bishop Theodore S. Henderson of Detroit was assigned to Cincinnati to succeed him by action of the conference.

Bishop Edwin Hughes of Boston was assigned to Chicago and Bishop Thomas Nicholson of Chicago was transferred to Detroit. More than half the Episcopal residences have a change in bishops as a result of the assignments.

All of the five newly elected bishops were sent to foreign stations.

UNION OFFICIALS DISREGARD BOARD

Chicago, May 29.—Another test of the power of the United States railway labor board was in prospect today as Warren S. Stone, head of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and D. B. Robertson, president of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, declared they would pay no heed to a notification asking them to appear before the board. The Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburgh railway and the two unions are involved in the dispute in question. The board has notified the Brotherhood chiefs that their action is a violation of the law.

MANSFIELD DOCTOR WAS LEAVING WIFE

Cincinnati, O., May 29.—After he was found on a tip from Mansfield authorities Dr. H. R. Taubken answered all questions promptly and his replies convinced police that he could not be detained, following his disappearance from the Richmond county capital.

The former hospital head declared he has mailed his resignation to the trustees and left a note for his bride of half a year, who was out of the city, stating that she never would see him again.

"I couldn't get along with her, so I left," he said.

Efforts to induce him to change his mind, proved to be futile.

BISHOP BROWN IS MAKING EFFORT TO ESTABLISH BELIEF

Cleveland, O., May 29.—Bishop William Montgomery Brown the White haired churchman who is being tried for the ancient crime of heresy before a jury of eight Episcopal bishops here, made a vigorous effort today to put the bishops of the Protestant Episcopal church on record as to their literal belief in the scripture.

Though his counsel the sixty-nine year old "heretic" filed an affidavit with the trial court, requesting that more than a hundred of the bishop-governors of the church be summoned to Cleveland as witnesses for the defense or, if that is not possible to have them give their views on fundamentalism and modernism through the medium of an elaborate questionnaire based on both old and new testaments.

Bishop Brown said in his affidavit that by their testimony he expected to prove that "heresy" in varying degrees, is rampant throughout the church in that few of present day divines accept literally the marvelous stories of the bible and that the doctrine of the church does not compel a bishop or a communicant to believe literally that God made woman out of Adam's rib.

Thus far Bishop Brown has met a series of rebuffs in his efforts to challenge the authority of the bishops' court to try him and to get the court to specify fully define the doctrine of the church in which it is claimed he violated in his teachings and writing contained in the book "Communism and Christianity."

No less than a dozen objections registered by the bishop through his counsel, Joseph W. Sharts of Dayton, have been unanimously overruled by the court.

The defense is taking advantage of every technical point to obstruct the trial, both from the standpoint of common, civil law and economical law. This much was frankly admitted today by both Bishop Brown and his counsel.

MAN IS SENTENCED TO PRISON; FOUND GUILTY OF MURDER

New York, May 29.—Harry L. Hoffman, middle aged motion picture operator, tried for the slaying of Mrs. Maude A. Bauer, was found guilty of murder in the second degree this morning. Hoffman was sentenced to 20 years to life imprisonment.

The jury was out 12 1/2 hours. Mrs. Bauer, mother of two children was killed in a lonely Staten Island road March 25 last, after she had accepted a "lift" from a passing motorist. Her automobile, in which her two children and her mother had been riding, had been stalled and Mrs. Bauer was in search of a garage when she met the man in the machine, who killed her.

Hoffman waived the usual stay of sentence and County Judge Tiernan immediately sent him to prison.

ADJOURNMENT IS STILL UNCERTAIN

Washington, May 29.—Adjournment of congress June 7, became more uncertain today as house insurgents joined with senate insurgents in a demand for satisfactory farm relief and railroad legislation before the session ends.

Congressman John M. Nelson of Wisconsin, leader of the house insurgents is circulating a petition among the members of the farm bloc and the railroad group in the house, securing binding pledges to fight adjournment until their legislative demands are met. He is being assisted by Congressman Barkley, Democrat, Kentucky, who is pushing the bill for abolishment of the railroad labor board.

CLOSE AT NOON

True to custom the offices of The Gazette and Republican will close at noon Friday in observance of Memorial Day.

The Evening Gazette will be published and distributed at noon.

SPRINGFIELD GLEE CLUB ENTERTAINS LOCAL KIWANIS

"Ladies' Night" marked the final weekly meeting of the season, of the Springfield Glee Club, at the Kiwanis Club, Wednesday evening. The club members are: Harry Hodge, Will Bailey, and Charles Gwyn. Five numbers were given by the club, under the direction of Prof. Gaylord R. Humberger, with Arthur Massman, pianist. Miss Erna McFarland, accompanied by Mrs. Bertley Faris, sang a solo. Prof. Humberger gave a solo, and Arthur Massman and Mrs. Faris gave a piano duet.

Dr. A. M. Patterson, president of the Springfield Kiwanis Club, presided. The names of two new members, Morris Sharp, county sheriff, and Ford S. Prince, county agricultural agent, were announced. Monthly meetings, during June, July and August will probably be held by the club.

NAVAL RATION IS 5-4-3 WITH AMERICA 4 DECLARES WILBUR

Washington May 29—Supporting the contention that the American navy, while stronger than Japan's, is not on a par with Great Britain's, Secretary Curtis D. Wilbur in a lengthy report transmitted yesterday to the house naval committee declared the comparative fighting strength of the three navies appeared to be 5-4-3.

The report was in response to a resolution by Representative Fred A. Britten, of Illinois, ranking Republican on the committee, which asked whether the 5-5-3 ratio fixed by the Washington Arms Conference was being maintained so far as the United States is concerned and for detailed information the strength of the American navy.

Much of the report was a verbatim reiteration of observations made recently by Theodore Roosevelt, assistant secretary, in a letter to Chairman Thomas Butler, of the committee, commenting on statements of W. B. Shearer, a naval expert, that the actual ratio is 5-3-1, with America 1.

Mr. Wilbur, as did the assistant secretary, pointed out that the 5-4-3 estimate "does not take into consideration strategically located and well-equipped naval bases, which add greatly to the sea power of a nation, nor does it take into consideration the relative strength of the various merchant marines."

Mr. Wilbur urged that congress authorize modernization of thirteen battle ships—the New York, Texas, Florida, Utah, Arkansas and Wyoming—to provide additional deck, torpedo and mine protection; for oil instead of coal burners, and for "some increased elevation of guns."

and the New Mexico, Mississippi, Idaho, Pennsylvania, Arizona, Nevada and Oklahoma to increase the angle of elevation of guns and to afford additional torpedo protection.

Mr. Wilbur also urged that funds be provided for construction of eight fast cruisers.

As to submarines, he said, the American navy has none capable of maneuvering with the fleet at battle speed nor at the usual fleet cruising speed under all conditions of sea and weather.

"We have nearly completed the VI, 2 and 3, which will be able to keep up with the fleet," said the report. "Our submarines for the purpose for which they are designed are not obsolete before their construction is completed. With the exception of the T class they are not designed for maneuvering with the fleet, and within the limits of the purpose for which they were designed, are reasonably efficient and reliable."

The naval secretary said the construction of the following noncombatant auxiliaries was needed to round out the fleet and to prepare it adequately to defend United States possessions: Distilling ships, 2; destroyer tenders, 2; submarine tenders, 3; fleet repair ships, 3; aircraft tender, 1; first-line mine layer, 10; mine sweepers, 20.

A number of these, he added, could be taken over from the merchant marine and fitted out.

Mr. Wilbur estimated that with respect to naval basis, the United States was in third place in the Western Pacific, but in first place in the Eastern Pacific. The most important base development on shore, he declared was completion of the Pearl Harbor project.

In reply to the inquiry in Mr. Britten's resolution as to whether recent fleet maneuvers had indicated that the American navy was manned properly with an enlisted personnel of \$6,000, Mr. Wilbur made this observation:

"It has not been practicable to put into commission the desired number of vessels of required types because of an insufficient allowed personnel. It is for this reason that we have laid up so many destroyers which could be constantly engaged in fleet maneuvers. The fleet in commission can be manned with only 90 to 95 per cent of their required complements."

DIVORCE GRANTED

Eather M. Bowen has been granted a divorce from James H. Bowen in Common Pleas Court on the grounds of gross neglect of duty. She has been awarded custody of the children and alimony.

AMERICAN LEGION URGES THAT TRIBUTE BE PAID TO WAR DEAD ON MEMORIAL DAY—COMMANDER ISSUES STATEMENT FOR GUIDANCE

Joseph P. Foody Post, No. 95, American Legion, especially through its Memorial Day committee, is taking an active part in agitation to obtain proper observance of Memorial Day for the purpose for which it was created.

All ex-service men living in Xenia and on rural routes out of Xenia, have been mailed copies of the letter asking for strict observance which was directed to Legion members by John R. Quinn, national commander of the order, and printed in a recent issue of the Legionnaire, the American Legion Weekly. The letter follows:

"If anybody comes up to a member of the American Legion between now and May 30 and says, 'How are you going to celebrate Memorial Day?' I hope the Legionnaire takes occasion immediately to do a little missionary work. His friend needs it; he needs to be told that Memorial Day is not a day to be celebrated, but a day to be observed."

"Because Memorial Day, as somebody else said years ago, is a sort of patriotic Easter—not a patriotic Christmas. We have a patriotic Christmas on the Fourth of July, when we celebrate the birth of our nation. On Memorial Day we pay honor to those who died for their country, the heroic men and women who gave their lives that America might be safe. There's a big difference, and the dif-

PROPER OBSERVANCE OF THE DAY

Dr. H. C. Messenger, commander of Foody Post, American Legion, in urging proper observance of Memorial Day, has outlined reasons for the day and its proper observance as follows:

1. Because on Memorial Day we pay honor to those who died for their country, the heroic men and women who gave their lives that America might be safe. It is only fair to ask that the sacrifices which have been made by the military branches of our government be given this one annual tribute.

2. Therefore, it is respectfully requested of the people of this community that Memorial Day be looked upon, not as an occasion for celebration, but an occasion for honor and patriotic thought.

ference, I am sorry to say, still has to be explained to many people.

"The glorious old men who fought from '61 to '65 have had this in mind for years. The middle-aged men who fought for us against Spain have had it in mind for years. But it took the World War, perhaps, to convince five million more of us that Memorial Day

3. That all may participate in the respect that is shown on this day it is asked that during the parade, a respectful attitude be maintained along the line of march and that when the colors pass that the flag salute be given. This is done by women by placing the right hand over the heart and by men removing hats and holding them at the level of the left shoulder. The salute is held until the colors have passed.

4. At the cemetery it is especially desired that due solemnity be maintained during the exercises, as whispering, talking and moving about at this time detracts seriously from the sacredness of the ceremonies.

5. The observance of the above will add materially in fostering and perpetuating the real spirit of Memorial Day.

is something besides a mere holiday—something more than a day off. And because we are numerically so much stronger than our older comrades of service, the burden of spreading this message of Americanism to the rest of the people falls largely upon us. Let's not shrink.

"Our community undoubtedly will look

this year to our post of the Legion to set an example in the observance of Memorial Day. What our post does, that will our community do. If our post does not partake to the utmost in any worthy civic observance of the day the community will feel, very likely, that the day is unworthy. And as years go on the community will more and more follow our example.

"Nobody expects America to go into mourning on Memorial Day. But it is only fair to ask every good American to accept Memorial Day as a day of patriotic thought. It is only fair to ask that the sacrifices which have been made by the military branches of our government be given this one annual tribute. It is only a minimum of what we might do. And it certainly is not too much for us to organize to insure that the graves of those men wherever they may be, are properly decorated on this day of days. While these tasks are under way America should be asked to bear in mind that Memorial Day is not an occasion for honor. The duty accomplished, we may then enjoy ourselves with conscience so much clearer for the accomplishment."

Foody Post will do its share this year, if all Legion men and also all World War veterans whether members of the Legion or not, meet at the Legion rooms at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon to take part in the parade, and the Memorial Day committee is urging this point to all veterans.

CHIEF FIGURES IN NEWS OF THE DAY.



Above: COL. EDWARD B. THAYER & SIR ROBERT KINDERSLEY
Below: LAFAYETTE B. GLEASON & BRIG. GEN. C. N. COLE

The outstanding feature of the election in Massachusetts of delegates-at-large to the Democratic National Convention was the election of Brigadier-General Charles N. Cole, who ran solely on the ground that he would vote for the nomination of Governor Alfred E. Smith, of New York. Lafayette B. Gleason, of Kansas, has been elected secretary of the Republican National Convention, to be held in Cleveland, O., and Colonel Edward B. Thayer, of Indianapolis, has been named sergeant-at-arms. Sir Robert Kindersley, British banker and member of the Dawes committee, has been appointed by the Reparations Commission to organize the new German bank of issue to be set up under the Dawes plan.

RIFLE FIRE AND RATTLE OF MACHINE GUNS TO ANNOUNCE MOCK WARFARE ON FRIDAY

With signal flares casting weird shadows, rockets and bombs bursting in air, and the rattle of musketry adding its staccato clamor to the general pandemonium, Xenians are promised a real exhibition of mimic modern warfare when Company L, 147th, Infantry, National Guard and the Cadet Battalion from the O. S. & S. O. Home stage their sham battle in a field east of the New Burlington Pike Friday evening.

Officers have completed elaborate arrangements to give the hundreds of spectators expected, a real example of a modern battle. First Lieutenant J. K. Berger of Company L will lead his guardsmen into a field obstructed by military impediments, in which the Home Battalion will have itself entrenched in a defensive position in an effort to repulse the invaders.

Members of the battalion have been busy several days preparing their defensive position, and making it impregnable, but should the onslaught of the guardsmen be so terrific in the face of the entanglements, the battalion is prepared to fall back to an adjacent hill for a final stand, with the rear resting in a woods that furnishes ample natural defensive works.

Captain Leroy John of L Company, who is also major in command of the battalion, will have charge of the battle in the sham battle. Lieutenant Berger will lead the attacking forces assisted by Lieutenant Shupp and sergeants in command of platoons.

The offensive forces will enter the battle area from the New Burlington Pike at 7 o'clock and immediately begin an attack on the defensive positions of the battalion. The measured fire of the army rifles will be interrupted by the rapid explosions of Browning automatic rifles. The battle section

will be spotted with machine gun nests from which the battalion will pour a steady fire of blank ammunition.

The field where the battle will be staged is south-east of the old Sullivan home, now property of the home, and spectators will enter the area south of this building. Guards will be posted along the pike to direct spectators from the end of the car line to the scene of the mimic engagement and the section will be roped off at an advantageous spot so that witnesses can see the entire battle. The mock battle will last about an hour.

ZINNIAS PLANTED TO BEAUTIFY CITY

In spite of inclement weather the Xenia Garden Club has been active in carrying out the plans for the beautification of the city and has now finished the planting of sixty-four zinnia beds on east Main Street.

The beds, which are six feet square, are planted in the parking between the pavement and the gutter. At the point where the New Jasper Pike intersects Main Street an immense zinnia bed has been planted. Residents in the East End are also planting large zinnia beds and the Garden Club has report of twenty-six beds.

The club has recently planted new shrubbery about the former city dump on Dayton Avenue and has also planted four beds on the grounds. It has also cleaned up the beds in the boulevard parking on West Main Street and has set out eighty new shrubs in the plot.

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COURT NEWS

PROPERTY IS SOLD

In the partition case of Viola L. Simons against W. A. Simons, and others, the report of the commissioners has been approved in Common Pleas Court and Ernest Simons has elected to take the property at the appraised value of \$2,000.

COMMISSIONERS NAMED

Members of the board of commis-

sioners of the sinking fund of the Sugar Creek Township Rural School District have been named in Common Pleas Court as follows: K. J. Sunderland, C. C. Graf, L. F. Smith, John Turner Jr., and F. A. Wright.

MOTION WITHDRAWN

Motion of the defendant for a new trial in the case of Harriet Ralls against The Springfield and Xenia Railway Company, has been withdrawn.

Specials for Saturday

For Saturday we have provided many choice specials, affording a most unusual saving to the purchaser. Space permits us to give only a partial list of these bargains. Come in and look them over, even though you are not contemplating the purchase of an instrument at this time.

In addition to sharp reduction in prices—special low terms are offered in all departments.

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DINNER GIVEN AT WALTZ HOME WEDNESDAY

School Superintendent and Mrs. C. A. Waltz entertained the men members of the Central High School faculty, at a delightful dinner, at their home on East Church Street, Wednesday evening, honoring Mr. E. W. Burner, and Mr. V. E. Siebert, who are leaving the school this year.

Covers were laid for Principal Harper C. Pendry, Mr. V. E. Siebert, Mr. E. W. Burner, Mr. E. I. Gephart, Mr. Carl Felger, Mr. W. C. Boyce, Mr. Fred R. Keeler, and Mr. V. L. Faires.

PLANS FOR SOCIAL

Arrangements are complete for the community social to be held at Orient Hill School Thursday evening. The men of the community constructed a large cupboard at the school, Wednesday night, and the women made other plans for the affair. The public is cordially invited to attend.

CARD PARTY

Mrs. LeRoy Smith of Hill Street, entertained guests for two tables of five hundred at her home, Wednesday evening. Mrs. H. E. Noble, and Mrs. M. A. Yeager won the score prizes. Mrs. Smith served a refreshment course.

PARTY FOR COMING BRIDES

Mrs. John Fudge, and Mrs. Emory Beal of the Union Neighborhood, are entertaining Saturday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Fudge, honoring Miss Opal Mallow, Miss Louise Ledbetter, and Miss Helen Maxey, brides-to-be.

PARTY INVITATIONS

Miss Sarah Siefert has issued invitations for a linen shower, at her home near Xenia, June 3, in honor of Miss Helen Smith, a bride-elect of early June.

LITERARY PROGRAM

The Literary Club of the Old Town School will hold a program, Thursday night, to which the public is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gardner, and children, of Cincinnati, O., are spending the week end with Mrs. Gardner's father Mr. George Stokes. Mr. Gardner is recovering from a nervous breakdown.

Mr. Charles Zihlman, of Huntington, W. Va., who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Agnew DeHaven, of West Market Street, left Tuesday for Huntington.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Faulkner, of near Xenia, and the Misses Helen Evans, and Mary McFadden, of this city, who attend Wilmington College were guests at the Gamma Phi Gamma fraternity formal dance at the Wilmington Elks' Club, Monday night.

Mr. I. Friedman is leaving for Columbus to visit his daughter, Nanette Friedman, who is in school there.

Mr. W. O. Custis returned home Tuesday night from Kirksville, Mo., where he attended the graduation of his son, Mr. Warren Custis, from the Kirksville School of Osteopathy. Mrs. Custis will remain in Kirksville, to visit with her daughter, Miss Eula Custis.

Mr. Rupert Irwin and, Miss Elizabeth Irwin, left Thursday morning for Huntington, W. Va., to visit relatives over Memorial Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kelble, and daughter, Miss Gladys, and Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Willett, are planning to spend the week end at the reservoir.

Mr. William Miller, of Paintersville, underwent an operation for appendicitis, at the Espey Hospital, this city Wednesday night.

Mrs. O. S. Kelley, who has spent the past five weeks in this city with friends, left Thursday morning, enroute to her home in Point Pleasant, West Virginia.

Miss Elizabeth Galloway, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Galloway arrived home, Wednesday morning, from Goucher College, Baltimore, Md., where she has completed her senior year. Miss Galloway came before the close of the school festivities owing to her mother's illness. Mrs. Galloway is slightly improved.

Mrs. P. H. Flynn of North Detroit Street who has been undergoing treatment for heart trouble, at the Good Samaritan Hospital, Cincinnati, is recovering nicely.

Mrs. Effie Keyes, of Tampa, Fla., former Xenian and Miss Dorothy Zell of this city, who has been her guest since January 30 will leave Tampa Thursday morning by automobile to come to this city, where Mrs. Keyes will make her home. Miss Veda Bailey of Wilmington will join the party in Jacksonville, Fla., Friday morning and make the return trip with Mrs. Keyes and Miss Zell. They will come by way of Washington and Baltimore and arrive home next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Peele of near Xenia, attended the funeral of Mr. David Mills, in Martinsville, O., Monday.

Mrs. Kenneth Witham, of Cincinnati Avenue, is recovering from an attack of mumps.

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PLAYMATES CELEBRATE THIRD BIRTH ANNIVERSARY

A merry group of young folks enjoyed a birthday party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Chambliss, on West Second Street, Tuesday afternoon, honoring the third birth anniversary of Richard Swindler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Swindler of Wilmington, and Edward Haines, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haines of near Xenia.

The boys and girls who enjoyed the affair were Ellen, Ida May, Edward and Billy Haines, Gertrude Chambliss, Joan David Keiter, Mary Ann Mull, Mary Catherine and John Swindler, and Bobbie and Richard Swindler of Wilmington.

FRENCH HONORS PROPOSED FOR AMERICAN GIRL

Paris, May 29.—Paris is gradually learning that the land of the Stars and Stripes also produces other good things besides the dollar.

The name of a young American artist is about to be proposed to the Ecole de Beaux Arts, an honor which is not to be taken lightly. It is that of Barbara Herbert, of New York City, an American painter, who came over to Europe to study sculpture more than a year ago.

"It all began with this hand," explained Miss Herbert, showing a splendid hand study in bronze, the fingers and wrist as supple and flexible as if in the flesh and blood. This was her first piece of sculpture. It turned out to be the "hand of fate."

"My life had always been painting, when I suddenly took a desire to model—to create, in other words—and so I came over to Paris and found the famous Professor Peynot. He is too old—76 years—to really take on teaching, but he said he would help and criticize my work if I would show him what I could do in the modeling of a hand."

Evidently Monsieur Peynot was pleased for Miss Herbert has been continuing her work ever since and has turned out some exceedingly interesting studies.

"Smiling Sadness" shows unusual feeling. It is the death-mask of a charming young girl, very sad but still smiling, who died soon after receiving word that her lover was dead. The eye-lids show traces of tears, and the lips are closed in peaceful resignation. Her hair is parted in the centre and, over her ears, wound into old-fashioned coils.

"This is my favorite," declares Miss

Herbert; "I like sad subjects best to bring out my feelings, although, as a matter of fact, here in Paris it is easy to work on almost any model. This is the only place for the artist."

Miss Herbert's second work was a delightful baby's head and after that an old man with striking character. Wrapped up in a damp towel was a skull with interesting bony structure, a work which she is just completing.

ELECT OFFICERS OF COUNTRY CLUB

Stanley A. Mitchell has been elected president of the Snow Hill Country Club, Wilmington's new country club.

P. R. Cleveger was made vice-president, Carl E. Henry, secretary and Charles L. Perry treasurer. They will serve on the board of directors with the following: H. B. Patterson, M. R. Denver, R. L. Owens, Maynard Harlan and W. J. Galvin. The club will be located about two miles from New Vienna and an old inn on the property, will be renovated as the club house. Arrangements for the construction of the golf course were made at once.

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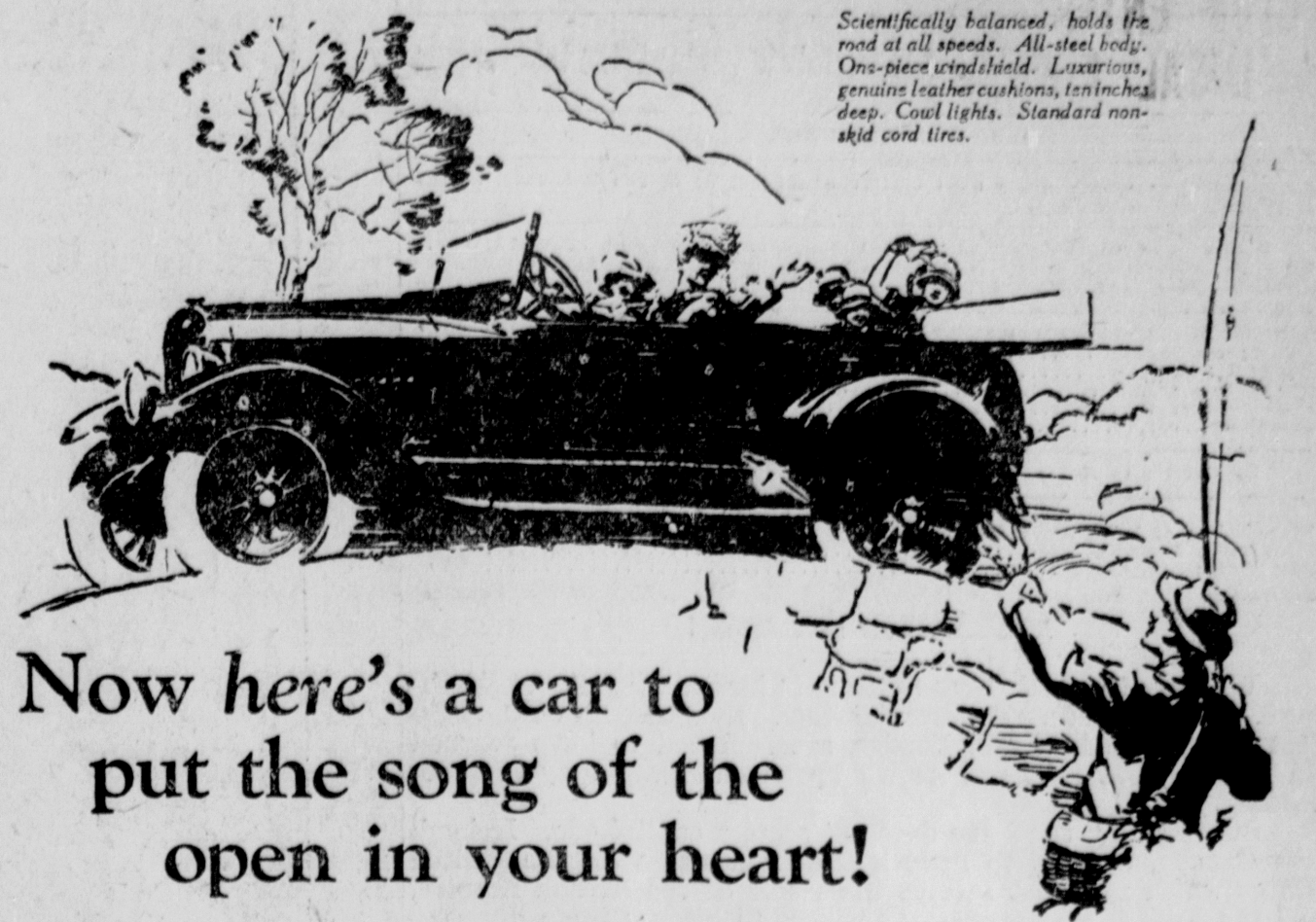
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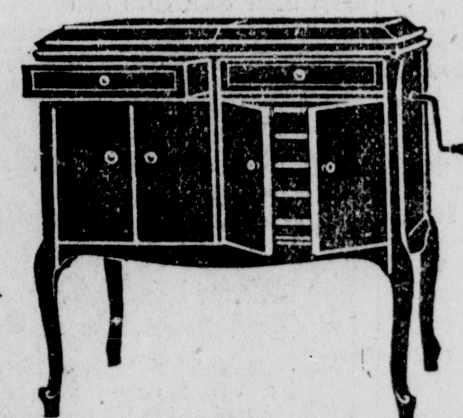
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IRELAND AND EMPIRE

Whether the Irish Free State is to have a Minister at Washington is still a rather obscure question. Negotiations on the subject between Dublin and London are reported to have reached an impasse, but it is not known upon what lines they are proceeding.

Superficially, the issue does not seem a capital one. Ireland, like Canada, expects to have special relations with the United States which need not involve the whole of the British Empire, and the Free State government wishes to discuss them directly, instead of indirectly, through the London Foreign Office.

Fundamentally, however, the problem at issue is of vast importance; it involves the future relations of the British Dominions to the Motherland and to the rest of the world; upon its solution depends the survival of the British Empire as such. The inherent possibilities no Britisher likes to contemplate.

Four years ago Canada was authorized to appoint a Minister to Washington, upon conditions as yet not made public but it is certain that conditions were imposed. Undoubtedly the Irish Free State could obtain similar authorization—with similar conditions. The Canadian Minister has never been appointed and the question has been allowed to drop for the time being.

But if the rulers of Britain do not like to contemplate a move that would loosen the ties of empire, neither does the Washington Government care to enter into relations with a British dominion which are not buttressed and guaranteed by the empire as a whole. The United States Senate made this fact clear when, recently, the Canadian Fisheries Convention was negotiated. The final instrument was made to apply to all subjects of the British Empire.

The process of decentralization has been going on in the British Empire for half a century. Though retarded during the war, it has plainly been accelerated since. Great Britain just at present seems powerless to stem the various forces at work.

It need not be taken for granted that effective consolidation is impossible. But to solve the problem will require the best political brains the empire can produce at a time when the whole world seems bent upon drawing upon the lowest brackets for its statesmanship.

From the broader point of view, the issue being discussed by Dublin and London seems a trivial one; but it acquires significance when seen as a single loosened stone in a crumbling empire.

BE SAMARITANS

Relief for the starving children of Germany should be considered by the charitably inclined on the basis of their actual needs and of the effect of a restored and prosperous Germany upon world conditions and should not be colored by passions and prejudices bred by the war. If it be true that there are Germans made extravagantly rich by wartime speculation, who are not doing their share of the relief work but are spending their substance in riotous living at the pleasure resorts of Europe, it is unfortunately also true that this is a form of callous selfishness that is not peculiar to the Germans alone and finds its counterpart even in our own land. The facts about the condition of the German children have been definitely ascertained by disinterested observers; and the further assurance that Germany itself is bearing at least two-thirds of the burden of the relief work comes from authoritative sources. Response to the appeal for funds, therefore, should be governed by the need, uninfluenced either by hostile prejudice on the one hand or colored propaganda on the other.

JUST POLITICAL BYPLAY

Senator Pepper's plan under which the United States would enter the World Court while keeping away from any legal relations with the League of Nations has been approved by the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations. The vote was 10 to 6, with the Democrats supporting the original Republican proposals made by President Harding and Secretary Hughes on February 24, 1923. Few friends of any world tribunal are optimistic enough to expect anything of these Senate maneuverings. There doubtless will be debate of the question; but the Democratic intent is to force the issue to the front for campaign purposes, and the Republicans are trying to offset the Democratic claims that the Republicans are opposed to any and all kinds of world courts by presenting their own program. Both sides are anxious to score a few points that may come in handy during the coming summer and fall.



HOUSEHOLD EXPENSES

At the first of the year said my Nellie to me:
"In matters financial now let us agree,
Let us make an arrangement and start in anew,
I'll pay the household expenses if you will pay the insurance, the coal and repairs,
The club dues and bills, and the clothing Bud wears."
Said I to my Nellie: "That method is fine—
The house bills are yours, and the others are mine."
Says Nellie to me, without shame or regret:
"Will you stop at the store? There's a steak I must get,
And some bread and some tea and your favorite cheese;
Let me have money to pay for it, please.
I've forgotten my purse,"—I say: "Charge it, my dear."
She smilingly answered: "I'm not known in here!
Get what you need to pick up these few things I lack."
And I'm stung for a five-spot which never comes back.

And she flings it at me and lays it down flat:
"You surely don't think that I ought to pay that!"

When I say 'twould be nice some slight favor to show,
She answers: "Money, though! Not with my money, though!"
She'll get up a dinner for my friends, but still
It must be understood that I'm paying the bill.
I suppose there are men who lead regular lives
And keep to the contracts they make with their wives,
And never get stung as my Nellie stings me,
But as Nellie remarks: "Oh, what brutes they must be!"

AERIAL 'PULMAN'
LATEST IN TRAVEL

Dayton, O., May 29.—An aerial Pullman, carrying a pilot and seven passengers, winged its way from Detroit to McCook field here. The wing spread is 58 feet and the body of the ship is 45 feet long. The cabin is fitted up with upholstered seats, which may be converted into berths, a wash room with running water, a kitchen, where meals may be prepared and served, and other traveling conveniences.

UNCLE SAM: "IS THIS YOUR DOG?"



1904-Twenty Years Ago-1924

The school board of Xenia Township elected the teachers for the coming year at the meeting yesterday and few changes were made.

Dr. W. A. Galloway will present the diplomas at the O. S. and S. O. Howe High School commencement June 15.

The F. P. C. club will hold a moonlight picnic at the Weff grounds, at Yellow Springs tonight. Complaint is coming in from some

of the farmers in the vicinity of considerable damage being done to the corn crop by gophers, a small burrowing animal.

The city council recommended that the number of police for the city be four, three of whom shall do patrol duty and one act as thief. At the meeting the other night, the salary of the chief shall be \$70.00 instead of \$65.00 and \$60.00 for the three patrolmen instead of \$50.00.

BRITON LAUDS
INDEPENDENCE
OF U. S. CO-EDS

Berkley, Cal., May 29.—The American college woman's splendid independence is one of her remarkable traits, according to Mrs. Adams, wife of Professor John Adams, of the University of London, and present lecturer in education at the University of California. In comparing American and English college women, Mrs. Adams says: "The English girl is more painstaking and thorough about her work, but as yet she has not gained that vital courage of independence which the American girl possesses. The American girl is willing and unashamed to work for her education if necessary. She does this with a calm and dignity that to me is amazing. This is one thing the English girl could not do." Mrs. Adams added that though the American college woman may work, she presents a better appearance than the student of any other country. "She is handsomely and appropriately dressed and always appears well groomed."

In her social life the English college girl is much more regulated by chaperons than the American. The girls have a certain number of teas and dances under the supervision of the women "dons." "The cocoa parties of Cambridge and Oxford women are as famous as your midnight feeds," state Mrs. Adams. These parties are encouraged by the authorities, for though there is gossip and fun, the meetings usually end up in the discussion of world problems.

"English college women," said Mrs. Adams, "lead a much less luxurious life than the American." There are no steam-heated buildings. Each girl is given her daily ration of coal for her fireplace. In Oxford and Cambridge everything has been put on the standard of the girl without money. The wealthy girls use great care to make no show of their ample means. There are very few English girls who have their own cars at college, but it

is the usual thing to own a bicycle and to use it often.

Exercise is more systematized in England than in America, in the opinion of Mrs. Adams. "The American girl rushes about always, the problem is how to get her to rest. English women take their daily exercise regularly. In the afternoon many women may be seen rowing on the Oxford and Cambridge brooklets. Other favorite forms of exercise are walking, punting, golfing and bicycling. In England play and sport have been the heritage for centuries, so they do not hold as much excitement for the college woman as her work does."

"Though the provincial colleges have offered opportunities to women for higher education, and even as far back as 1826 the University of London was founded for women as well as men, the idea of college education for women is relatively new. Co-education is also much less prevalent in England than here. The combined enrollment of women in both Oxford and Cambridge does not exceed 500. Until very lately the finishing schools of France and Switzerland were the favored institutions for English girls."

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RULING IN DAUGHERTY CASE

Cincinnati, May 29.—Judge Cochran announced that the decision in the habeas corpus case of M. S. Daugherty, banker, Washington C. H. O., against the United States senate, brought about through his arrest for refusal to testify in an inquiry involving the regime of his brother, Attorney General Harry M. Daugherty, will be announced in federal district court here Saturday morning.

SUSPENSION OF RATES SOUGHT

Columbus, May 29.—Suspension of proposed increased rates for unified telephone service at Akron, Barberton, Cuyahoga Falls and Dayton, scheduled by the Ohio Bell Telephone company to become effective Aug. 1, was asked in motions filed with the public utilities commission.

Albert Johns



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Today's Talks

EXPERIENCE

I came across this sentence in an old magazine the other day and so I give it to you because it shouldn't sleep in an old magazine:

"It is generally the fellow who does the thing that can't be done. You see the poor fool doesn't know it can't be done, so he goes ahead and does it!"

It is good that much of our way of head is veiled from us. The difficult thing begins to look extremely easy as its finish appears.

It is also a good thing that so few of us are educated against ourselves. Our ignorance so often saves us and makes us wise in the end.

I know a woman whose husband died and left her nothing—in money. But he was a wonderful student of human nature and therefore left his wife a liberal education in the art of selling. Today she is sending her boy through a great educational institution and making a larger income than her husband used to—just because she didn't know that she couldn't and so she did!

If any of us should have our future placed before us, few of us would have the courage to go ahead and face it. But because it is veiled we

are led to it, strong and ready for what it hands us.

Life is a willingness to accept, to face whatever is our lot, and to do it uncomplainingly. If we get into this attitude, we all too often surprise ourselves with the amount of happiness and success we accumulate.

Do at least one thing well—and be known for doing it. The rest will take care of itself.

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Tense Moments in "Hell's Hole"

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Three people are caught beneath a landslide in a cabin at the base of the mountain!—Do they escape?
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With TONY, the Wonder Horse

A William Fox Production in six Reels

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In 2 exciting reels with RUTH ROLAND.

Big Matinee at 2:15

Admission 17c

GOLF TOURNEY WILL BE HELD AT CLUB FRIDAY

Golf tournaments for both men and women players will be held at the Xenia County Club Friday Memorial Day, morning and afternoon.

Both tournaments will start in the morning, and players must finish the entire eighteen holes in continuous play. The tournaments will be run on the handicap basis and prizes will be offered.

The Xenia Club expects to inaugurate a series of inter-city matches soon with Urbana, London, Washington, Middletown, Lebanon, and Troy Club teams. These matches will be played on Wednesday afternoons and return matches will be played in each case.

EAST END NEWS

Twenty one young people received their certificates from the Junior High School at the East High Auditorium Wednesday night. The program opened with a procession as the members of the class took their places on the platform. The invocation was pronounced by the Rev. W. C. Allen, pastor of the Middle Run Church. The program follows: music, "The Tides," by the school; The address of welcome by James Hamilton; solo, by Evelyn Millon; recitation, "Pebbles," Alvin Hall; instrumental selection, Martha Peters; poem, "The Thinker," Edna Green; a Retrospect, a Forecast, Zelda Booth; music "Away to the Woods," school. Presentation of certificates was made by Principal Goddard of the Xenia High School. The program was given at Wilberforce university. Music, Cavalier; Benediction, Rev. W. C. Allen.

The Edith Randolph Prayer Circle will open the service Friday evening at the Third M. E. Church on East Market Street, at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Charles Lock of Springfield, and Miss Thelma Hatcher were the guests of relatives Wednesday and attended the commencement exercises at the East High Auditorium.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Crosswhite of Washington C. H. were guests of Prof. Arthur Taylor and family Wednesday evening.

The Ladies of the Twentieth Century Club gave a Passing Party to the pupils of the Junior High School at the East High Auditorium Tuesday afternoon at which time Miss Martha Peters was awarded the prize for having received the highest mark of the grade.

The ladies improvement committee of the Cherry Grove Cemetery will meet Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Zion Baptist Church.

The senior class of East High at its commencement exercises Thursday night, will present as the speaker of the evening, Dr. A. J. King of Indianapolis, Ind. Dr. King was born in Greene County and graduated from the Xenia High School in 1883 received his A. B. from Indiana University in 1896. In 1907 he finished from the Indiana Medical College. For fifteen years he taught in the public schools of Indiana. He has also practiced medicine in Indianapolis. Dr. King is a forceful speaker and doubtless his old friends will enjoy hearing him tonight.

MARKETS

LIVE STOCKS

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK

Hogs—Receipts, 27,000; market, strong; bulk \$6.80@7.30; top \$7.40; heavy weight, \$7.25@7.35; medium wt., \$7.10@7.35; light weight, \$6.65@7.30; light lights, \$5.75@7; heavy packing sows, smooth, \$6.60@6.75; packing sows, rough, \$6.40@6.60; pigs, \$5@6.25. Cattle—Receipts, 8,000; market, 10 @150 higher; Beef steers: choice and prime, \$10.75@11.75; medium and good, \$9@10.25; good and choice, \$10.25@11.50; common and medium, \$7.50@9.50; Butcher Cattle: Heifers: \$5.50@10; cows, \$4@8.50; bulls, \$4@7.50; Canners and cutters: Cows and heifers, \$2.50@4.75; canner steers, \$5 @7; veal calves light, and hand weight, \$8.50@10.50; feeder steers, \$6@9; stocker steers, \$5.50@8.75; stocker cows and heifers, \$3.50@5.75; stocker calves, \$5.50@8.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 7,000; market, strong; fat lambs, \$12.50@15; lambs culls and common, \$10@12; spring lambs, \$15@17.25; yearling wethers, \$8.50@10; ewes, \$6@7.50; ewes, culls and common, \$2@4.50; yearlings, \$10.50@12.50.

PITTSBURGH LIVE STOCK

Cattle—Supply, light; market, steady. Hogs—Receipts, 3,500; market, 10 @30c lower; prime heavy hogs, \$7.55@7.80; mediums, \$7.55@7.80; heavy yorkers, \$7.55@7.80; light yorkers, \$6.50@6.75; pigs, \$6@6.50; roughs, \$5.50@6.50; stags, \$3@4. Sheep and Lamb—Supply, 500; market, steady.

DAYTON LIVESTOCK

Corrected Daily by the Greene, Embry & Peterson Commission Co., Livestock Dealers, Union Stock yards.

HOGS

Receipts 5 cars, market steady. 100 and up \$ 7.60
60-200 7.10
30-160 6.65
Pigs 5.00@ 6.00
Stags 5.00@ 6.25
Stags 3.00@ 4.00

CATTLE

Receipts light, market steady. Choice butcher steers ... \$ 8.50@ 9.50
Good butcher steers ... 7.50@ 8.25
Fair to good butcher steers

6.50@ 7.00
Good butcher heifers 7.00@ 8.00
Good fat cows 5.00@ 6.50
Medium fat cows 3.50@ 4.05
Cologna cows 2.00@ 3.00
Culls 5.00@ 6.00
Calves 6.00@ 9.00

SHEEP

Sheep \$ 2.00@ 5.00
Lambs 7.00@12.00
Corrected Daily by The Farmer's Commission Company, Dayton, O

CATTLE

Cattle, market active. Receipts heavy. Selling:
Best butcher steers ... \$8.50 to 9.50
Fair to good steers ... 7.25 to 8.00
Common steers 5.00 to 6.75
Choice heifers 7.50 to 8.25
Common heifers 5.00 to 6.50
Choice fat cows 5.50 to 6.50
Half fat cows 3.50 to 5.00

Bolognas and canners.. 2.00 to 3.00
Bulls 5.00 to 5.75

HOGS

Receipts, light; market 5@15c lower. Prospects strong. Selling:
Heavies, 200 lbs. up \$7.60
Mediums, 160 to 200 lbs. \$7.10
Pigs, 130 to 160 lbs. \$6.75
Pigs, under 130 lbs. 5.00@5.75
Sows 5.00@6.00
Stags 3.00@4.00

VEAL CALVES

Receipts light; market steady. Selling:
Tops \$9.00
Others 5.00@8.00

SHEEP AND LAMB

Receipt light. Market Steady.
Spring lambs \$10.00@16.00
Yearling lambs 8.00@12.00
Sheep 2.00@ 6.00
(Schaeffer Commission Co.)

Receipts, 7 cars; market, 10c@15c lower.
Heavies, 200 lbs. up \$ 7.65
Mediums, 160-200 7.25
Yorkers, 130 lb. down 7.00
Pigs, 130 lbs. down 5.00@ 6.00
Sows 5.00@6.25
Stags 3.00@ 4.00

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(Faulkner and St. John)
Bulls, \$4@4.50.
Sheep, \$3@5.
Veal Calves, \$5@9.
Butcher steers, \$6.50@7.
Stock steers, \$4@5.
Butcher cows, \$3@4.50.
Butcher heifers, \$6@6.50.
Mediums, \$6.90.
Heavies, \$7@8.
Pigs, \$6.
Lights, \$6.25@6.50.
Lambs, \$10@12.
Stags, \$5.
Sows, \$5.
Stock heifers, \$3.50@4.
Stock cows, \$2@3.

GRAIN

TOLEDO GRAIN

Toledo, O., May 29—Closing grain and seed quotations:
Wheat, cash \$1.11 1-2@1.12 1-2.
Corn, cash 81@81 1-2c.
Oats, cash 52@53c.
Rye, cash 69c.
Barley, cash 77c.
Cloverseed, cash \$11.25; Oct. \$12.25.
Alaska, cash \$9.80; Aug. \$10.30.
Timothy, cash \$3.35; May \$3.35; Sept. \$3.75.

DAYTON

Flour and Grain.

(By The Durst Milling Co.)

Timothy Hay, No. 1, \$30 per ton.
Bulk Bran, \$30 per ton.
Bulk Middlings, \$32 per ton.
Straw, \$16 per ton.
Pure Chop Feed, \$46 per ton.
Cottonseed Meal, \$56 per ton.
Oil Meal, \$52 per ton.
Prices being paid for grain at mill.
Wheat, No. 1, \$1.05 per bushel.
Rye, No. 2, 70c per bushel.
Corn, \$1.15 per 100 lbs.
New Oats, 52c per bushel.

XENIA

(Corrected Daily)

By The DeWine Milling Co.)

Buying Price

No. 1 Timothy Hay, \$20.
No. 1 Lite Mixed Hay, baled \$19.
New Yellow Corn, 80c.
No. 2 Red Winter Wheat, \$1.00.
No. 2 White Oats, 45c.
Middlings, \$1.90.
Bran, \$1.90.

PRODUCE

CLEVELAND PRODUCE MARKET

Butter, extra, 42@43c.
Firsts, 38@39c.
Firsts, 40@41c.
Packing, 25@28c.
Eggs, fresh 27 1-2c.
Ohio firsts 24 3-4c.
Western firsts 24c.
Oleo, nut 24@25c.
High grade animal oils 25 1-2@26c.
Lower grades 20@21c.
Cheese, York State 22@23c.
Poultry fowls, 27@28c.
Roosters, 13@14c.
Broilers, 38@40c.
Ducks, 22@24c.

Apples, 75@1.00.
Strawberries, \$1.50@2 crate.
Beans, dried navy, 6 1-2c.
Cabbage, \$3.00@3.25 crate.
Potatoes, 90@1.00 bushel.
Tomatoes, 40@50 pound.
Onions, 15@20c dozen bunches.
Cucumbers, \$2.25@3 basket.

DAYTON PRODUCE

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

(Corrected by H. G. Culp Co.)

Retail prices—Fresh eggs 25c; country butter 50c; creamery butter 50c; stews, 40c; spring roasts 40c; spring broilers, 65c; ducks 50c; turkeys 60c.

Wholesale prices—Hens, 23c; roosters, 12c; spring ducks, white 4 lbs. and over 20c. Fresh eggs, 22c; Spring broilers, 40c; butter, 42c.

XENIA

Prices Paid for Delivery at Plant
Hens, 21c.
Fresh Eggs, 19c.
Springers 35c.

UNFOLDS NEW STORY

Washington, May 29—Gaston B. Means, former agent of the department of justice on the stand for the fourth time before the Wheeler-Brookhart committee, unfolded another sensational story of alleged graft

ELEAZER

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Faulkner attended the Gamma Phi Gamma dinner dance at Wilmington, Monday night. Miss Dorothy Faulkner has been re-elected teacher in Beilbrook high school for next year. Esther Underwood, of Wilmington and two of her girl friends spent the week end with Miss Cordella Miller. Mr. Laverne Fulton, of Massillon, will spend the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Faulkner.

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Decoration Day

Our hats are off today to the boys who fought and won—let's each put out our flag—the flag they fought so nobly for—and do all we can to show our respect and appreciation for "their" day.

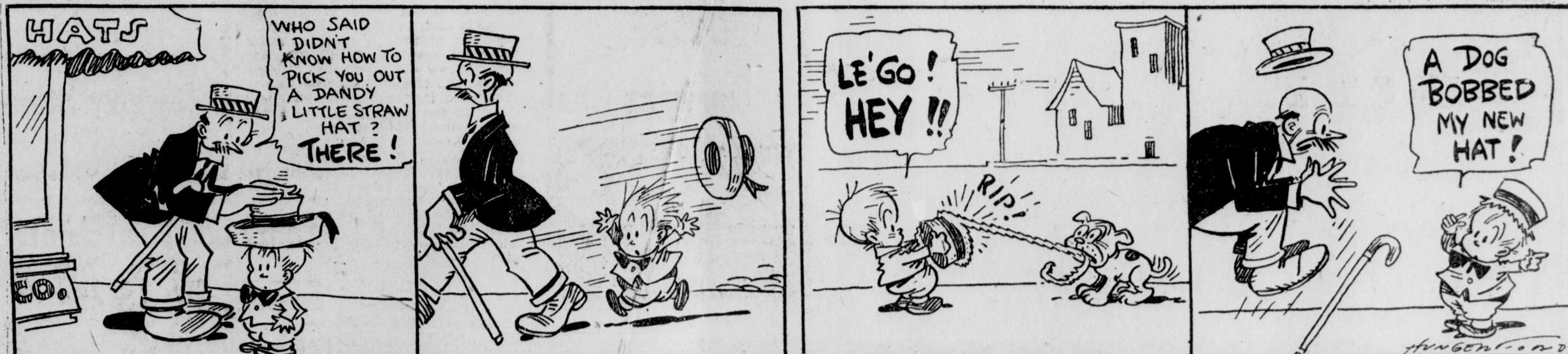
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By EDWINA





The nation—once again—pays silent tribute to those of its departed defenders—the boys of '61, '98 and '17. So, on this Memorial Day, as we decorate their last resting places, let us give a thought to the noble ideals that prompted them to answer the call of their country. Theirs was a sacrifice without thought of personal gain, given with a sense of duty in defense of their fellow citizens. Noble, indeed, and inspiring to this and future generations.

And while we're remembering those who have gone, let us pay homage to those veterans who are still with us. As they pass on parade, let's give them a rousing cheer and show our appreciation for their past deeds with a "Well done, Boys—Well done!"

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HOME WEEKLY WILL ISSUE ITS ANNUAL REUNION EDITION

The Home Weekly, official organ of the Ohio Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans Home will issue its annual reunion edition June 14, according to announcement of McPherson Phillips, editor and instructor in printing.

The reunion edition will be issued in anticipation of the annual convention of the Ex-Pupils' Association, to be held July 1, 2 and 3. Elaborate plans are being made to make the 1924 reunion one of the best in recent years.

Ex-pupils are being attracted by the new Memorial Library building now under construction, and which has been sponsored by the association. In addition there will be sporting events, music, dancing, banquets and other features to make the annual reunion interesting.

Officers of the association this year are: Harlan H. Campbell, Dayton, president; Robert O'Dell, Columbus, first vice president; Homer LeFlore, Springfield, second vice president; Grace Snyder, Columbus, recording secretary; Alice McNabb Gheen, Dayton, corresponding secretary; and Oliver DeVore, Leipsic, treasurer.

GENERAL TELLS WHY HE DIDN'T GET MARRIED

Chicago, May 29.—Circumstances, solely circumstances, Major-General Milton J. Foreman said, and sighed sentimentally.

Major-General Foreman was awarded the D. S. C. for his heroic services in the World War. He was colonel of the famous 122d Field Artillery overseas.

But when it came to relating the circumstances as to why he had not married—naming them in conscientious detail—General Foreman, gallant wearer of war medals, did not display the courage which resulted in his citation for bravery on the field of battle.

However, the fact of the matter is, the general has been, by his own admission, too romantic to marry.

"Memories and dreams—dreams of the future, mind, as much as of the past—will always be more real to me than reality," he said. "You know the old rhyme about:

"The lovely bird so fiercely sought
Has lost its charm by being caught."
"Dreams are a man's most satisfying companions. When I cease to dream I'll be ready to die."

The general is a robust sixty-one. "The misogynist is a myth. No man ever lived who didn't dream, some time, of a wife and children."

"But the 'grand passion' Tommyrot. That's only another name for procreancy."

The general is skeptical of the "grand passion."

"I suppose because I have never experienced its divine thrill," he said speculatively.

"Circumstances denied me that experience, and there you have the answer to why I have not married."

"In the first place, I was put out in the world earning my living at twelve. A young fellow working in a hat store, as I did during my most impressionable years, hasn't much time for feminine contracts."

"And later—well, I'd seen enough of the corned-beef-cabbage side of life to know that marriage wasn't all caviar. So I wasn't disposed to rush into it like a hotheaded young fool."

"Then, a man's mother often plays an important, though, to her, unconscious, part in keeping him out of matrimony. There is always the question of how mother-in-law and daughter-in-law will get along."

"And a man's mother completely satisfies his home instinct. She is his best pal, without being at the same time, his severest critic, as his wife is likely to be. A wife might say, 'My dear I told you so,'

but a mother never. In his mother's eyes, he's always right, and it's the nature of man to want no more than that from any woman."

"My mother made a home for me until her death in 1917."

"There may be a few of those rare matrimonial combinations in which husband and wife are the perfect complement of each other. But isn't it more often true that one personality must be sacrificed to the development of the other?"

"So far as I know, my married friends are happy. But I see occasional evidence which leads me to suspect that all is not holy harmony in their lives, any more than in mine."

"If I've ever been in love, I've been unconscious of it. And I deny that I've ever disappointed any woman in love. I should feel it a great honor if—ah—any woman—but I am entirely unconscious of—ah—"

"Man's ambitions," the general interrupted himself by an abrupt change of subject, "are three, after he is safely past the fireman-and-street-car-conductor stage. In the order of their importance, man's ambitions are marriage, fame and fortune. Most men achieve marriage first because it is easier than becoming a fireman."

"But nature abhors a vacuum," the general concluded, "so, by natural law, the vacuum in my life must have been filled—some way."

RACING HAS BOOM IN BRITISH ISLES

London, Eng. May 28.—Whatever may have been the effect of trade depression on industries of England there is one business which flourishes with unflagging prosperity. That is horse racing.

Horse racing in England, it is estimated, will pay a profit of nearly 25 per cent on the capital invested during the racing season.

Any doubt of the extent to which racing has become a business in England is removed by the fact that approximately \$15,000,000 is invested in horses alone.

Profits on the racing season of 1924 it is estimated, will amount to more than \$4,000,000. This does not include the winnings of the bookmakers or the casual winnings of the owners of racing stables either through the capturing of purses or through the successful backing of their own horses.

It is estimated that approximately 5,000 horses will be seen in action during the season at the various meetings in Great Britain and Ireland.


Probably the three biggest owners of race horses in England are Lord Derby, Lord Astor and Lord Woolav-

ington. Each of these noblemen maintains a racing stable organized on tremendous lines. That they find the business profitable is indicated by the winnings of Lord Derby in 1923 which are said to have been nearly \$200,000.

That the business is profitable for others besides the owners of horses is shown by the hundreds of highly-paid trainers and jockeys employed. It is estimated that the year wone more than \$2,000,000 in stakes, while several other trainers earned sums well in excess of \$100,000 for their owners.

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9x12 Tapestry Rugs, Special at \$16.50.
Extra Fine Velvet Rugs, 27x54, \$5.00 quality at \$3.39 and \$3.95.
9x12 Gold Seal Congoleum (Cut) \$8.25, \$9.95. Border \$15.00
9x12 Wool and Fibre Rugs at \$8.95. Matting at \$4.75.
Men's and Young Men's Suits at \$9.95, \$14.50 and \$18.50.
Men's Shoes, Special (All Leather) at \$1.59.
Better Shoes at \$1.98, \$2.95, \$3.95. W. L. Douglas at \$4.95.
Ladies' Coats Special at \$7.50, \$8.90, \$9.75, \$12.50.
Ladies' Voile and Linen Dresses \$2.95, \$3.95, \$4.95.
Men's Union Suits, B. V. D. at 59c, 69c and 89c.
Men's Union Suits in Knit at 74c, 98c, \$1.45.
Gingham at 10c, 15c, 20c and 25c yd.
Ladies' Silk Hosiery at 49c, 95c, \$1.45 and \$1.89.
Ladies' Silk and Wool Dress Skirts at \$1.00 each.
Ladies' Wool Dress Skirts at \$2.98, \$3.95, \$4.95.
Ladies' Silk Dresses at \$4.95, \$7.95, \$9.95, \$15.00.
Ladies' Oxfords at 1.98, \$2.98, \$3.95 up to \$5.00 Values.

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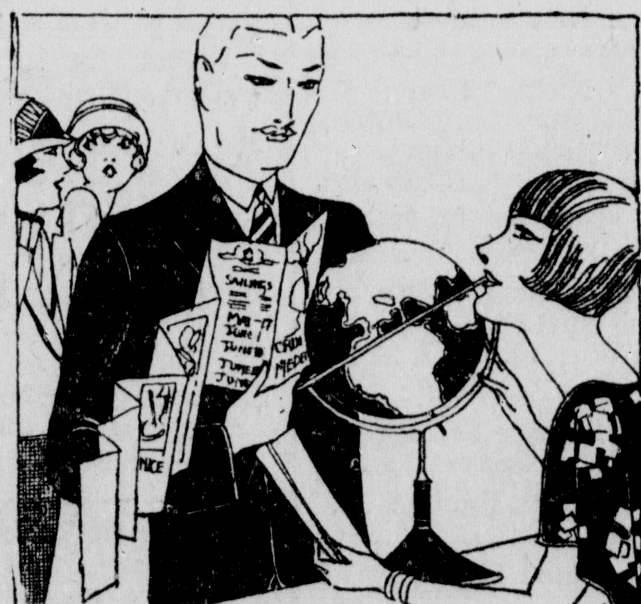
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MODISH MITZI—Harry And Adelaide Plan Their Honeymoon



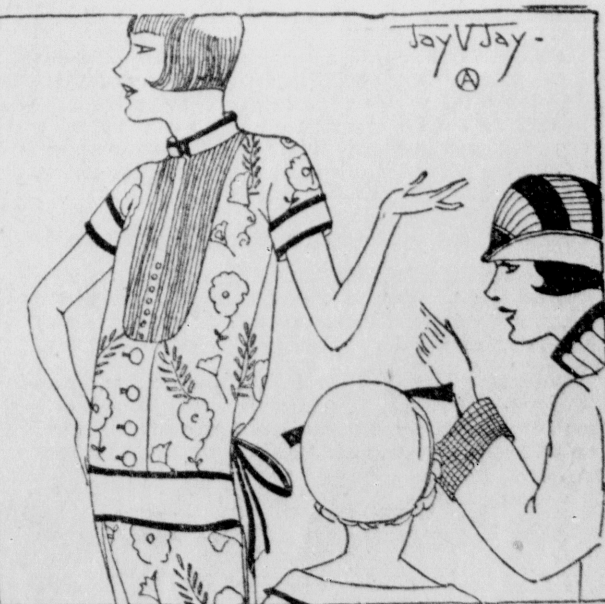
Mitzi and Polly find Harry and Adelaide thoroughly engrossed in geography. Harry is discovering the North Pole and Adelaide is examining the Atlantic Ocean. Of course they are planning their wedding trip! But where? That's the secret.



Adelaide is trying on a tweed cape that has just arrived. It has a turned up collar—that is, if you want it turned up. Adelaide is stressing the way it buttons, the handiness of a cape that you can throw over a suit. She doesn't even notice Mitzi's new suit with its three-quarter length coat.



Adelaide has told them that these things are for her wedding trip. This handpainted scarf and the hat to match will be so useful. The hat has no brim so it can be packed in a small space. Adelaide says: "It's just the thing I want for—the place I am going." "Where?" asks Polly.



Adelaide tries on another new dress that she says will be topmost in her traveling baggage. It is a sports dress of flowered crepe de chine. It features the Chinese collar and the tucked shirt front. It would be good for deck wear thinks Mitzi. Mitzi's suspicions are confirmed. She is sure Harry was looking at the globe to see where Europe is!

BY JAY V. JAY

FARM PROGRESS

GUERNSEY FIELD
DAY TO BE HELD
FRIDAY, JUNE 13

The first field day of the Miami Valley Guernsey Association consisting of Guernsey enthusiasts from Greene and Montgomery Counties will be held at the farm of J. M. Putorbaugh, six miles west of Dayton on the Eaton pike Friday, June 13, starting at 9 o'clock. Those who go by trolley will get off at stop 10 on the D and W. traction.

A special feature of the meeting will be the auctioning of a fine heifer calf from an Advanced Registry cow to the highest bidder.

This will be an all day picnic meeting and those in attendance are asked to bring well filled baskets.

Jesse Woodman, Sugar Creek Twp. and S. D. Andrew, Xenia Twp. are on the Executive Committee of the local Association.

ARREST AND FINE
FOLLOWS REPORT

Levi Drake, arrested Wednesday afternoon on a charge of driving an automobile while intoxicated, was fined \$50 and costs and sentenced to three months in the County Jail by Judge E. D. Smith in Police Court Thursday morning.

Drake was arrested by Chief of Police M. E. Graham and Patrolman Charles Thompson, after a search over the city in the police car. Police received a report that Drake's automobile, with three other occupants, had turned over on the Dayton pike near Trebeins, but that they righted the machine and continued to this city. When arrested one of the tires had come off the machine and was dragging from the axle.

PRESENT DIPLOMAS
TO FIVE GRADUATES

The smallest class to be graduated from the Yellow Springs High School, for several years, was presented with diplomas by E. O. Barr, superintendent of schools, following an address by Paul E. Stetson, superintendent of the Dayton Public Schools, Wednesday night.

The five graduates are Miss Vavealine Whitmer, Miss Lillian Donley, Miss Frederica Clare, Floyd Mills and Howard Hughes.

The Rev. Carl H. White, of the Yellow Springs Presbyterian Church, pronounced the invocation. The school orchestra, directed by Howard Adams, furnished the music.

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CHURCH TO HONOR
SCHOOL GRADUATES

The First Presbyterian Church will honor the graduates from Central High School, who are members of that Church, Sunday morning at a special recognition service at 10:30 o'clock. Special invitations have been sent out to each graduate member of the church who will receive a taken of congratulations in the name of the church. One of the laymen will make the presentation speech.

The Rev. W. H. Tilford, pastor, will preach on "Service," especially applicable to the occasion. The following graduates are members of the church: Ernest Jones, Marguerite Burrell, Elizabeth McCormick, Beatrice Stiff, and Norbert McCallister.

Mrs. J. P. Shumaker, of Columbus, will sing a solo at this service.

REAL ESTATE

Anna S. May to the Dayton Air Service Incorporated Committee, of Dayton. O. 83.22 acres in Bath Township. \$1.00.

Reuben F. Schultz and Minnie C. Schultz to the Dayton Air Service Incorporated Committee, 12 acres in Bath Township. \$1.00.

Roy A. Webb and Grace E. Webb to J. F. Hardesty, four tracts in Silvercreek Township. \$1.00.

Charles A. Carroll and Emma Carroll to Asa Price, part of lot thirteen in City of Xenia. \$1.00.

Jennie D. Paulin, Eleanor Martin, Alpha Little, Walter F. Martin, Herbert Little to R. J. Moorman and Edith Moorman, 56866 square feet in Village of Jamestown. \$1.00.

Frank A. Craft and Clara A. Craft, to Allen H. Springer, Lot 47 in Fairfield Addition to Fairfield. \$1.00.

Charles A. Brewer and Drusilla Brewer to F. Faye Pluke, lot three in Village of Yellow Springs. \$1.00.

Lester J. Buell to Thomas L. Ralls, and Leona M. Ralls, real estate in Xenia City. \$1.00.

Lew Bradds to C. E. Mossman, 47.45 acres in Ross Township. \$1.00.

J. F. Hardesty to J. K. Webb, 100.56 acres in Silvercreek Township. \$1.00.

Charles Miller and Louie Miller to R. R. Grieve and W. R. Spitzer, lot eighteen in Xenia Township. \$1.00.

Robert M. Oglesbee to Carrie A. Mendenhall, two tracts in City of Xenia. \$1.00.

XENIA MERCHANTS
TO OBSERVE HALF
HOLIDAY 3 MONTHS

Practically all Xenia merchants will begin observance of the annual clerk's half-holiday agreement next week.

Beginning Wednesday, June 4, the majority of Xenia business houses will be closed during June, July and August, to give employees weekly half holidays during the hot weather period, if any.

Banks and building and loan associations are closing Wednesday afternoon over a five months period, including May and September in their agreement.

O. S. & S. O. HOME
ALUMNI BANQUETED

Fifty-three Springfield alumni of the Ohio Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home, Xenia, attended the annual meeting held in Springfield, Thursday. In the afternoon they attended a theater party at the Regent, and after the performance were taken on a sight-seeing trip of the city.

A banquet will be served at 6:30 o'clock, at the Chamber of Commerce, and dancing will be enjoyed from 8 to 11 o'clock, in the auditorium.

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DIRECTORY CREW
IS NOW IN CITY

Because sentiment here indicates that every two years is too frequent to issue a directory for Xenia the next directory will not be issued for three years or possibly four years.

A crew from the Caron Directory Company, Louisville, Ky., is now busy here preparing the 1924 directory for publication. It has been two years since the last directory was issued and the next issue, because of the sentiment expressed here, will probably not be issued until 1927 or 1928.

The crew here is in charge of Mitchell Michaels, and Joe G. Davis, is in charge of sales. Frank J. Burke is the other member of the crew. Members of the crew say a systematic check will be made after canvassing is concluded, to insure that the directory will be absolutely correct.

JUDGE ROBINSON QUALIFIES

Columbus, May 29.—Supreme Court Justice J. B. Robinson filed his petition seeking the Republican nomination for his present place, and H. E. McCollier filed as a Democratic candidate for state auditor.

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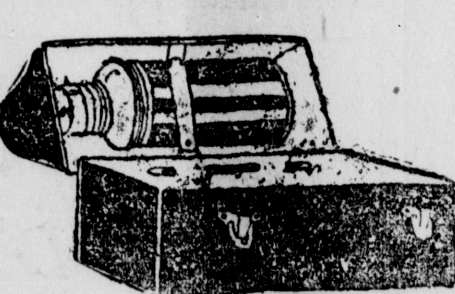
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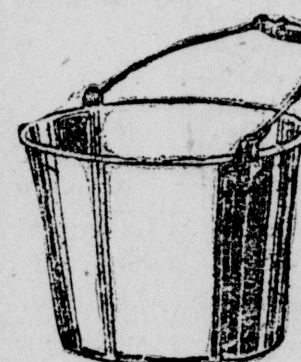
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All Steel Sheep Shears. 98c	Rogers Nickle Silver Teaspoons \$1.15 doz.	Suit Cases, for \$1.29	14 Tooth Garden Rake. 59c
O-So-Easy Mop, for 45c	Rogers Nickle Silver Dessert spoons. \$2.10 doz.	Suit Cases, for \$1.89	35c Green Wire Hanging Basket, for 31c
15c Welsbach Mantles. 10c	Rogers Nickle Silver Forks, for \$3.25 doz.	Fancy Frosted Gas Globes, for 25c	25c Chip Waste Basket. 19c
25c Whisk Brooms, for 19c	Rogers Nickle Silver Knives, for \$3.25 doz.	1 Gal. Milk Crock. 21c	40c Fish Bowl, for 33c
26-in. Galvanized Screen Wire, for 22c yd.	Four sewed broom, for 44c	25c Can and Bottle Opener 19c	60c Fish Bowl, for 54c
28-in. Galvanized Screen Wire, for 24c yd.	Garden Weedeers, for 25c	35c Inverted Gas Burners, For 29c	12-in. Banner Lawn Mower, for \$7.09
30-in. Galvanized Screen Wire, for 26c yd.	Spring Hinges, 2 for 25c	40c Inverted Gas Burners, For 33c	14-in. Dayton Lawn Mower, for \$7.39
36-in. Galvanized Screen Wire, for 30c yd.	Double Bird Cage Springs, for 19c	Lawn Rakes, for 56c	6 Qt. Sprinkling Can 69c
30c All Steel Trowel. 25c	Bird Cage Brackets 21c	Sargents Gem Food Chopper. No. 22 \$1.98	10 Qt. Sprinkling Can 79c
Grass Shears, for 49c	Spring Balance Scale 50 lb. capacity 33c	Aluminum Sink Strainer For 33c	16-in. Banner Lawn Mower, for \$7.69
Red Seal Steel Hammers For 78c	10c Welsbach Mantles 2 for 15c	Inflated 6-in. Rubber Ball, for 49c	18-in. Dayton Lawn Mower, for \$8.19
60c Grass Hooks, for 49c	Shinola Shoe Polish, 3 for 25c	24 oz. Mop, for 49c	White Glass Cuspidors. 59c
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SPECULATION IS CAUSED BY ENTRY OF DAVIS IN RACE

Columbus, May 29.—Former Governor Harry L. Davis of Cleveland filed his announcement of candidacy for the Republican nomination for governor with Secretary of State Thad Brown. Davis issued a statement saying he felt called upon the save the principles of state government which he established from those who "have openly shown a persistent and purposeful disposition to destroy, in a great measure, what Republican efforts were able to accomplish."

"The Donahey administration has been extravagant," and has gone far to destroy the "\$20,500,000 cash surplus left in the treasury by the Republicans," Davis asserted.

In regard to taxation, Davis says he favors placing costs of highway construction on the whole state, rather than on the abutting property owners, as advocated by Donahey.

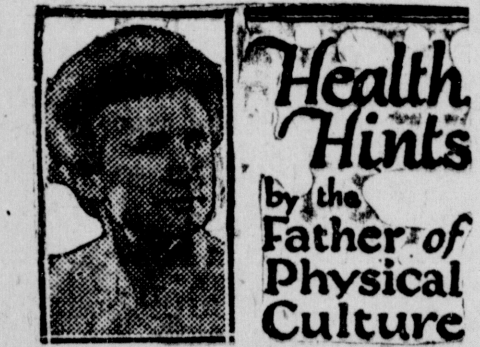
Political observers say that with Davis' entry, Attorney General Crabbe again becomes a possibility in the race for the Republican gubernatorial nomination. Crabbe yesterday challenged the Anti-Saloon league, which it had been reported, was planning to defeat him for attorney general by support of B. F. McDonald, present state prohibition commissioner, who said early in the week he expected to seek the Democratic nomination for that office. If the league intends cutting him off its list because of his card agent ruling, Crabbe said, "I am ready to go to bat." He added that he was confident the people of the state would approve his "card agent" ruling.

At a joint meeting of the Republican central and executive committees of Madison county, Crabbe's home, the attorney general was urged to become a candidate for governor on his record of law enforcement. The resolution adopted said: "His outlawing of the vicious 'card men' who were bringing law enforcement into disrepute, and his demand for lawful enforcement of all laws are approved by every honest citizen."

There are now three entries in the race for the Republican nomination for governor: Former Governor Harry L. Davis, James A. White, former superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League of Ohio, and State Senator John F. Burke of Ellyria.

DEMOCRATIC AID IS SOUGHT FOR BILL

Washington, May 29.—Carl Vrooman, former assistant secretary of agriculture, has called upon the Democrats "to assume leadership and with the aid of the progressive Republicans enact an effective farmers' surplus export bill." Declaring 6,000,000 farmers and their wives "are in open political rebellion against the present administration," Vrooman said "there has been no such opportunity for the Democratic party in a generation." He described the McNary-Haugen bill pending in congress as "a poor substitute for the remedial legislation required by the farmers."



Health Hints by the Father of Physical Culture

Any fixed rules tend to make exercise monotonous and a bore, soon to be neglected. For this reason it must be spontaneous, and must have variety.

But the parents should see that so far as possible the play exercise is taken under wholesome conditions. Let the children wear rompers, or other clothing which allows full body motion. Much of the playing of younger children will necessarily be indoors, so by all means have an abundance of fresh air and sunlight in the play room. Have exercise bars and other apparatus. If desired and possible also mats or blankets for floor exercises. A child will be apt to exercise better to music than without it, especially if its parents take the exercises at the same time. For this the phonograph or the radio musical programs are excellent.

A child should not be driven to exercise, but exercise should be made so attractive that he will be eager for it. If the parents will relax from their stiff and decorous posing occasionally to join their children in their fun, the entire family will benefit greatly and that priceless relationship between parents and children—that of pals—will be established.

Parents must be careful, however, that the child, shall not be injured by play of too rough a character, and that it shall not be continued so long as to produce excessive fatigue, nervousness and insomnia, or restlessness at night. For it is a fact that children are rather irresponsible in these matters, and have a tendency to become highly excited in their little games, losing thereby some of the good they might gain from them if they were kept within reasonable bounds.

Excessive fatigue, as is well known, causes an overload of toxic material in the blood-stream, which poisons and irritates the nerves and the brain cells, and influences unfavorably every organ and function in the body.

The sound common sense of the parents will guide them in advising the children, and in exercising an unobtrusive super-vision over them in this most interesting phase of their development.

MASONS TO ATTEND

A large number of the Masonic fraternity of this city, will attend the inspection and exemplification of the Master's degree, at Wilmington, Thursday night. A banquet will be served at 6 o'clock. All Masons who intend to go and have no means of transportation are asked to notify Master Lawrence A. Wagner. The party will leave the Masonic Temple, this city, at 6 o'clock.

SCHOOL CHILDREN

QUARANTINED

Troy, O., May 29.—Three hundred pupils of the Forest school here were ordered quarantined when it was learned George McConnell, 4, had played with the children while having smallpox.

ATTACKED A CHILD

Youngstown, O., May 29.—William L. Bryn, an optometrist, was sentenced to five years in prison when he pleaded guilty to a charge of attacking a 7-year-old girl. He is married and has one child.

BOAT SPRINGS LEAK

Waverly, O., May 29.—Floyd Daniels, 33, and Walter Graham, 27, were drowned in Beaver creek, near Picketon, when a boat from which they were fishing sprung a leak and sank.

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HARNESSING OF NATURAL STREAM TO GIVE POWER

Note:—This is the second of three articles on possibilities of developing a cheap natural power from the earth's heat at points where volcanic activity has brought this inner heat close to the surface. Italy is experimenting along this line, and such an experiment is being made at The Geysers, one of California's natural wonders.

By ELLIS H. MARTIN

The Geysers, Cal., May 29.—Two jets of live steam belching forth from steel pipes tapping a huge natural boiler 200 feet below the surface of the earth with a deafening roar, without appreciable variation in power night and day, conjure up visions of a mighty force as yet unharnessed by man.

These live steam jets pour forth from two wells that have been drilled at The Geysers in an effort to determine the practicability of harnessing the natural steam that underlies the whole valley for a distance of seven miles. One runs down to a depth of 202 feet, the other to a depth of 301 feet. They are within a few feet of each other, yet the drilling of the second well caused no variation in the pressure at the head of the one first drilled.

The steam pressure at the well heads is sixty-two pounds. The steam is 99 per cent pure steam, something unattainable in boilers made by man. This is due, it is believed, to the action of chemicals in breaking up the water particles into their minutest division plus the 352 degrees Fahrenheit temperature which has been measured at the base of the wells.

At present the steam is wasted. A small portion of it is used to light the health resort close by. But enough pours forth into the air continuously to light a city of 10,000 that size—or draw the heaviest population—some experts say double freight train ever made up over the summit of the Sierra Mountains.

A third well is being drilled. It is located some distance from the first two. It has reached a depth of 100 feet. Drilling is slow. It is necessary to pass through a volcanic formation of steel-like hardness. This forms the top of the great natural boiler which furnishes the steam that escapes not only through countless vents and fumeholes throughout the canyon. It is possible to prepare a meal—broiling steaks, frying eggs and making coffee—in the boiling mineral springs which dot the canyon sides, or over the steam vents.

The great heat makes the use of the rotary drill impracticable. The well are drilled by the use of a heavy drill which chips its way through the formation. Escaping steam blows the broken rock out of the hole as it is drilled. Some of the pieces are of large size, indicating the power beneath. It is necessary to pull the drill frequently, as the high heat removes the temper. The drill-bit is redressed as it comes from the well and then retempered before being returned to its work. No method has been devised for drilling deeper than 300 feet where steam pressure halts the drill.

So far as is known there has been no depreciation in steam power during the years that it has been known to white men. One man living in the valley has observed it for fifty-two years and declares that today just as great a quantity of steam escapes as was the case when he first saw it. This conclusion is borne out of careful measurements made at the well, pressure or action of the other. The closing of one does not affect the San Francisco earthquake, in 1906, which shook geological formations far north of here, affected in no way the local phenomena, according to observers.

It is because of these facts that belief is expressed that here is a source of heat and power which is practically inexhaustible.

NEW BURLINGTON

Mrs. George Phillips is confined to her home with an attack of mumps.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lackey, Miss Jennie Reeves and Mrs. Bert Lackey of Xenia, spent Thursday in Springfield the guest of Miss Addie Sellers, who is moving soon to Columbus to have charge of the Protestant Nurses Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stanley and daughter entertained Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stanley and family of Peachgrove, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stanley of Zoar, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Stanley and family, south of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Chenoweth have gone to housekeeping in the property vacated by Mrs. Dedrick.

Dorothy and Mildred Ary spent the past week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bennington near Eleazer.

Rev. Curless, pastor of the M. E. Church will deliver the address here Friday afternoon, May 30, at the M. E. Church. The band will furnish the music.

Forest Smith of Columbus is at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Smith, recovering from an automobile accident in which he was injured a short time ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Compton had for their guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Bogan and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Evan Bogan and daughter.

The W. F. M. Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Fred McKinley Wednesday afternoon June 4.

Miss Alice Reeves spent a few days the past week with relatives at Xenia. A. V. Toland is visiting his sister at Dayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor and family of Alpha have purchased and moved into the late Jimmie Boots property.

JOINT MEETING

K. K. K.

Friday Evening, May 30.

At 8:30, Fast Time

Business of Importance

PRINCE TAKEN BY AMERICAN ACTRESS.



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Roma June, a beautiful American actress, playing at the Shaftsbury Theatre, in London, has won the admiration of the Prince of Wales, who has been to see her act, and visited her "back stage," twice in two weeks. He introduced her to Queen Marie of Rumania and to other members of the royal family.

ERRORS IN BIRTH RECORDS ARE SHOWN

Columbus, O., May 29.—Results of a federal survey of the accuracy of birth registration in twenty-nine Ohio counties made public today by the division of vital statistics, state department of health, showed the average accuracy is 92.1 per cent.

Out of the twenty-nine counties in the survey, Delaware, Lorain and Summit counties registered 100 per cent, the report stated. Cities in the 100 per cent list include Lima, Martins Ferry, Bellville, Elyria, Dover, Marietta, Greenville and Wooster.

The average accuracy of rural districts in reporting births was much higher than that of the urban districts, according to the survey.

SPRING VALLEY

Rev. W. E. Bogan and Rev. Amos Cook, exchanged pulpits Sabbath.

Mrs. Fannie McKee spent the latter part of the week with friends in Wilmington.

Mrs. Alice Johnson and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Johnson at Yellow Springs the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Moore spent the latter part of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Eyer of Springboro.

Mrs. W. E. Bogan is quite ill.

Mrs. Harley Hunt does not improve.

Mrs. Mary Crites entertained at dinner Tuesday, Mrs. Mary Bain of Xenia.

Mrs. Anna Anderson, Mrs. Sallie Watson and Mrs. Belle Reed.

Little Ruth Reed is suffering intensely with her broken limb and is not doing as well as her friends would like to see.

Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Peterson and son spent a few days last week at the Lewistown Reservoir.

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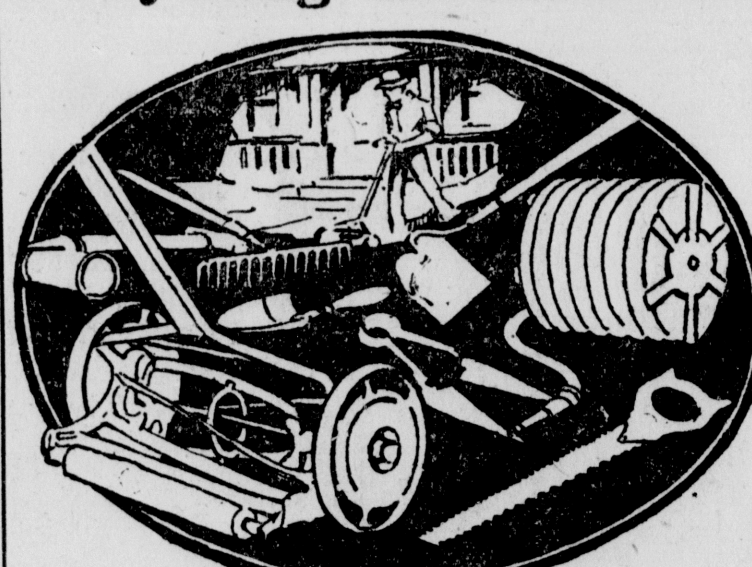
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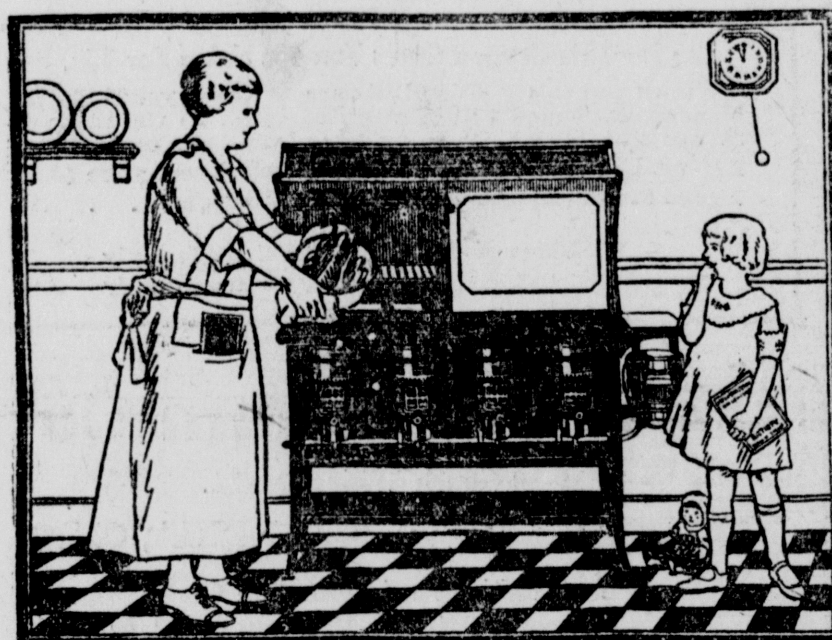
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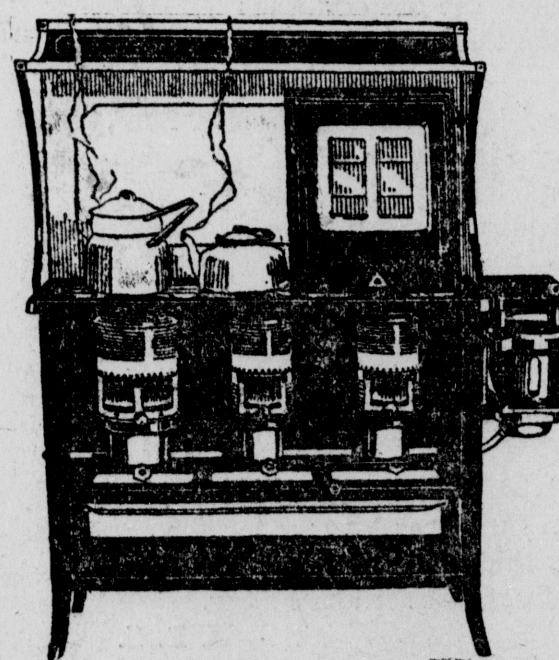
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96-SIMEON BADGLEY will not be responsible for any debts contracted by his wife, Jennie Badgley after May 15.
97-Strayed, Lost, Found

Automotive

- 98-Automobiles For Sale
99-STAR TOURING-1923 model. A I condition. Run about 3000 mi. Good tires and paint. Willard Battery Co.
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The A-B-C Classified Ads
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Business Service

- Business Service Offered 18

CARPET CLEANING—Vacuum cleaning 10 per square foot. Washing to per square foot. Work called for and delivered the same day. Lee R. Regan, Phone 890.

With orders. Write for complete rate card.

ADVERTISING—Tampa Daily Times, Fla. Florida's greatest classified medium. Rate 1 1/2 cents per word. Minimum three lines, cash.

Building and Contracting 49

McCURRAN BROS.—general contractors, public buildings and fine residences a specialty, surfacing wood floors and new with electric driven floor machine. Phone 2.

Scrap up and down the columns of the Classified Ads. It will save you time.

Heating, Plumbing, Roofing 22

PLUMBING—gas fitting and heating, new and repair work guaranteed. Author Pope formerly with Asa Price, Phone 768-R.

Insurance and Surety Bonds 23

AN ACCESSORY—for your new auto liability, fire and theft, should be considered as such. See Kay Cox, Ins. Agency, Phone 182.

Painting, Papering, Decorating 26

SIGNS—Leave orders for sign work at Graham's Paint Store, Phone No. 3.

Professional Service 28

FILMS DEVELOPED 6c—per roll; prints 3c each, new Davis film, Ohio.

Repairing and Refinishing 29

UPHOLSTERING—furniture upholstering and repairing, all work called for and delivered, in Xenia June 2, 3, or 4. Elmer Weyrich, 1411 Huffman Ave., Dayton Ohio.

Tailoring and Dressing 30

LOOK—Men's suits repaired, mended and altered to fit perfectly. Your light or faded suit steam dyed any color. 30 W. Main St. upstairs.

GET A NASH—all wool suit or overcoat made to measure \$23.50, J. A. Davis, Special dealing exclusively in Ohio. Phone 11-K.

Employment

Help Wanted—Female 32

WANTED—Women to paint lampshades for us at home. Easy Pleasant work. Whole or part time. Address Nilecar Company, 3460, Ft. Wayne, Indiana.

MARRIED MAN—wanted on farm. House, furnished. References. C. S. Dillon R-2 Yellow Springs, O.

Help Wanted—Male 33

MAN—middle aged, active, for light pleasant outside work. Permanent position in Xenia. Emmons Co. Newark, New York.

Help—Male and Female 34

COOK—short order cook. Half day and half night. The Interurban Restaurant.

Financial

Business Opportunities 38

SUCCESSFUL TEACHER—Wanted: for educational work this summer. position guarantees \$450 for ninety days work. Address Box 58, Galveston, Texas.

STUDENTS—An unusual opportunity is offered to a high class student or teacher during vacation. Splendid salary and pleasant work, providing valuable business training. Address 4002 care Gazette office.

Investments, Stocks, Bonds 39

CARL E. SMITH—Buys or sells Stocks, bonds, mortgages. Get our prices before dealing elsewhere. Office 23 1/2 Green St.

Live Stock

Dogs, Cats, Other Pets 47

PUPPIES—two female Fox Terrier puppies for sale. 15 Jasper Avenue.

Horses, Cattle, Vehicles 49

ONE BIG—Type Poland China Boar. 13 month old inquiry at County Infirmary.

SOW—with 8 pigs 3 weeks old call 602-W.

BOAR—Yearling Duroc. Emery T. Beall Phone 532-R-1.

REGISTERED—Dapple Grey Percheron Stallion for service. H. E. Burgett, Scottsboro Apts. or Dimm's Blacksmith Shop.

HORSE—good saddle and driving horse \$35.00. John Harbino, Allen Building, Telephone.

FRESH COW—Holstein, with calf by side. O. S. and S. O. Home stock. J. B. Mason 4064-21.

BOAR—Big Type Poland China. 2 years old. 4006-F-14 William Nash.

Live Stock

Poultry and Supplies 49

CALL MARSHALL—before selling your Spring Chicken, hens or old roosters. Phone 164 Cedarville.

Real Estate For Rent

Business Places For Rent 75

STORE—large and light in good condition—cheap. Regill Hotel.

Real Estate For Rent

Houses For Rent 77

E. MARKET—7 Rooms modern, pos. section can be given at once. Call or see T. C. Long real estate.

620 N. DETROIT—Cottage, 5 rooms and bath, electric lights and gas and garage. Call 1125-R or 228 S. Whiteman.

HOUSE—modern, large yard garden and garage. Central. Also two furnished rooms. Phone 526-R.

Real Estate For Sale

Brokers in Real Estate 8

TOM LONG—Real estate man. I will sell your farm properties or will loan you money. See me. No 37 South Detroit. Telephone.

Farms and Land For Sale 83

80 ACRE—Farm near Xenia. \$5000. John Harbino, Allen Building. Telephone.

Houses For Sale 84

10 ROOM HOUSE—Two acres, Orient Hill \$6000. John Harbino, Allen Building.

THIRD STREET—6 room frame cottage, modern, electricity and gas, excellent condition, see me. A. W. Trease.

SECOND ST. W.—House eight rooms \$3500. John Harbino, Allen Building. Telephone.

RADIO PROGRAM

THURSDAY, MAY 29

WLW—Cincinnati, O. (309)
1:30 and 3:00 P. M.—Reports.
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4:00 P. M.—Piano solos.
5:15 P. M.—Baseball results.
10:00 P. M.—Club.
10:10 P. M.—Glee Club.
10:30 P. M.—Musical program.
11:15 P. M.—Popular program.

KYW—Chicago, Ill. (536)
6:45 P. M.—Musical program.
WJAX—Cleveland, O. (390)
8:00 P. M.—University program.
KDKA—Pittsburgh, Pa. (326)
5:30 to 10 P. M.—Musical program.

WCAE—Pittsburgh, Pa. (462)
5:30 Concert; 7:30 to 10 P. M. concert.

WSAI—Cincinnati, O. (309)
10:30 P. M.—Mixed program.
8:15 P. M.—Mixed program.

FRIDAY—MAY 30

KYW—Chicago, Ill. (536)
7 to 10 P. M.—Orchestra program
10 to 2:30 A. M.—Midnight revue.
KDKA—Pittsburgh, Pa. (326)
11:15 A. M.—Concert.
5:30 to 9:15 P. M.—Baseball, concert, markets, and musical.

WLW—Cincinnati, O. (309)
10:30 A. M.—Business reports.
1:30 P. M.—Markets.
4:00 P. M.—Memorial Day program.

WMAZ—Chicago, Ill. (447.5)
2:30 P. M.—9:15 P. M.—Musical program and Memorial Day specialties.

SNAP SHOTS

Frank Vanderbosche, 59, is under arrest at Mt. Clemens, Mich., charged with beating to death his brother-in-law, Frank Deoster, same age, during an attack of insanity.

Milk sold at 7 cents a quart at Freeport, Ill., when the largest distributor cut his price as a result of a price war. A half pint of cream sold for 10 cents.

William F. Silkworth, former president of the Consolidated stock exchange, New York, and Louis Gilbough, one of the board of governors, were named in indictments handed down by the federal grand jury charging use of the mails to defraud.

Participation in the \$100,000 robbery of a bank at New Brownsville, Tex., a year and a half ago was admitted by Elsa Mead, alias L. H. Fletcher, Detroit police said.

Alleging unpaid income and excess profits taxes, the government has filed suit at Atlanta, Ga., to recover \$2,533,468 from the Coca Cola company.

COMING EVENTS BRIEFLY TOLD

There is no charge for announcements in this column. If you have a meeting date to be published here, call 70.

THURSDAY
Red Men
Rehearsal
P. of X. D. of A.

FRIDAY
Eagles
MONDAY
Phi Delta Kappa
Library Board
B. P. O. E.
D. of P.
Shawnee I. O. O. F.
Xenia S. P. O.

TUESDAY
Xenia I. O. O. F.
Rotary
K. of C.
Kiwanis
Kiwanis Legion.
WEDNESDAY
Kiwanis
F. O. U. A. M.
C. O. L. Drill
K. of P.

AMERICANS SEEK TO OBTAIN SECRET

Paris, May 29.—Americans are eager to obtain the secret of Grindell Mathews' "death ray." With Great Britain, the inventor's own country, and France in competition for the invention, which is claimed, may revolutionize war, Mathews gave out that he had received a written offer from the United States. Other reports said the National Academy of Sciences at Washington had cabled the inventor, asking particulars, and that American naval attaches here had been ordered to investigate Mathews' claim.

Colonel G. S. Brighton of London has secured a writ against Mathews, claiming a 52 per cent interest in the ray on behalf of his clients.

SMALL BOYS IN HOLDUP

Steubenville, O., May 29.—Two small boys, described as not over 10 years old, held up Yee Mong, laundryman, with a long knife and took \$16 from his cash drawer, according to complaint to police.

REDS SUFFER WITH SEVEN ON HOSPITAL LIST

Two more casualties and the Cincinnati Reds will have enough ball players on the bench to make up a ball team that could almost go out and beat the regulars.

That's the answer to the fact that the Hendrix pastimers have slipped from first position in the National League race to a shaking third, and are in a death grip to retain first division standing.

With the information that two more of the hard luck Reds were placed on the list by Wednesday's double-header with the Cardinals, there is no telling how far the Cincinnati tribe will drop before the reverse is applied.

Booked as sure winners, the Reds have been a distinct flop within the last couple of weeks. Fans are still with them however, for the very good reason that the Reds have an excellent alibi for their present lowly state.

This alibi is the hospital list, which increased to seven Wednesday when Roush and Captain Daubert, two of the finest, were carried off the field. The bad news contains the names of some of the best. Pat Duncan, gardener supreme, has been on the casualty list with a bad ankle for several weeks.

Louis Fonseca, heavy hitting, utility infielder, followed him off the field. Hargrave, the hard hitting catcher, is out of the pastime with a sore hand. Jimmy Bohne, the fleet foot, and Jimmy Cayen, short stop, are unable to play.

The bad luck jinx added insult to injury Wednesday by claiming Roush for the second time this season. The flash fielder sprained an ankle leaping for a fly ball, and got the curtain. Captain Daubert, whose presence in the infield is much needed at first base, stopped a pitched ball with his head and has a slight concussion.

Fortunately Jimmy Begley, the recruit infielder, was summoned from the bushes just in time to take his place in the patched up infield. Sandberg, the third string catcher, Hock, a utility gardener, Boob Fowler, an infielder and Bressler, a pinch hitter, have been getting plenty of work as a result of the injuries.

Fowler is hitting like a house afire and even Greasy Neale, the coach, reinstated just in time, has been called into duty. If the Reds can keep their heads above water in the face of these misfortunes, no body should have any complaint with the way they are conducting themselves.

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GRANGERS DISCUSS OHIO MEMBERSHIP DRIVE FOR JUNE

Plans for the intensive Ohio membership campaign of late June and arrangements for the annual picnic were discussed at the all-day meeting of the Pomona Grange at Caesarcreek High School Wednesday.

Between 150 and 200 Grangers attended the meeting, took part in initiation exercises, enjoyed a program and listened to addresses by Clyde Northup, of Miami Grange, Yellow Springs, W. B. Bryson, near Xenia, president of the Greene County Farm Bureau and J. F. Gordon Jamestown.

The fifth degree was exemplified on seven candidates at the morning session and dinner was served cafeteria fashion. Mrs. S. H. Shawhan, lecturer, of Beaver Grange, had charge of the program in the afternoon which included music by the Xenia Grange Orchestra. Miss Katherine Conklin of Caesarcreek gave a musical reading and J. Warren Mason of Caesarcreek gave a reading.

Clyde Northup, Miami Grange, a poultry raiser, talked on poultry. A duet was rendered by Miss Helen Conklin and Herbert McKay, of Caesarcreek Grange. Miss Josephine Boyer of Charity Grange, Beaver Creek Township, sang a solo and Misses Rowena McKay and Leona Haines of Caesarcreek Township gave a duet.

J. F. Gordon and W. B. Bryson gave short talks. S. H. Shawhan, Beaver Grange, told Grangers that Beaver Grange was fifty years old last year but the celebration had been postponed until this year. On his announcement that the anniversary would be celebrated with a picnic July 31, it was proposed and agreed that the Pomona Grange holds its picnic then also, as a joint affair.

Harry F. Caton, state master, of Coshocton, will be the speaker at the picnic. The proposed state-wide Grand membership campaign, which will be directed in this territory from regional headquarters at Coshocton, will be held June 26, 27 and 28.

National Master L. J. Taber of Columbus and State Master Caton will direct a force of national and state speakers over the state at that time, and Greene County Grangers hope to aid materially in the drive by increasing the membership in the county and possibly adding new Granges.

Speakers expected to aid in the campaign are S. L. Strivings, master, New York State; John A. McSparran, master, Pennsylvania State Grange; A. B. Cook, master, Michigan; Jesse Newsom, master, Indiana; Dora Stockman, lecturer, Michigan and possibly National Lecturer O. L. Martin.

One of the state or national workers will be at the disposal of each region who will assist in work arranged for in advance. New Granges will be organized and old ones that are dormant will be re-organized. It is hoped to add 20 new Granges and strengthen twenty more weak organizations, while Dean Vivian of Ohio State University, has said the state organization should have 200,000 members.

**CIRCUS WILL GIVE
TWO SHOWS JUNE 4**

D. C. Steele, advance agent for the Gentry Bros.-James Patterson Circus, was in Xenia Wednesday completing arrangements for the appearance of the circus here next Wednesday, June 4, when two shows will be given at the old Reserve ball park, Cincinnati Avenue.

According to Mr. Steele the show has been playing to capacity crowds at every stand and has been proving popular with the public. It will be the first circus to show here this season and is expected to be warmly greeted by the innumerable circus fans, both young and old.

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THE HALF-TIME WIFE By VIOLET DARE

WHO'S WHO AND WHAT'S HAPPENED.

DUNCAN HALE, a young army officer, returns from the Philippines to find that

SUZANNE, with whom he is in love, has married

GEORGE ATWOOD, a prominent man much older than she.

Hale tries to persuade her to leave her husband, get a divorce and marry him, feeling sure that she still cares for him. Suzanne is troubled by this, and by the report that there is a love affair between

DICK LEIGH, Geoffrey's nephew, and a chorus girl.

LINDA VALE, Atwood's secretary, introduces herself to Suzanne, and makes a determined effort to interfere between husband and wife.

At Dick's request, Suzanne gives a little party for the chorus girl, LOLITA. Mrs. Vale manages to be asked.

XXXIX—BELOW THE SURFACE.

DURING the next week Mrs. Vale was frequently at the house. On two occasions she spent the night there. She seemed to have developed, suddenly, great fondness for the daughter to whom she had paid so little attention before. Lolita made a rich marriage. And she was extremely anxious to find out just what Geoffrey proposed to do about the money which

he was holding in trust for Dick.

"Of course, Dick isn't of age," she remarked to Suzanne one afternoon when they were having tea together. "Still, now that he's married he'll have to have more money than when he was just a boy in college."

"Well, when his father died, he left instructions that Dick was to be prepared to earn his own living, but that he must earn it for at least two years before he came into the fortune that would eventually be his," answered Suzanne.

"Oh, yes, I know that," answered Mrs. Vale impatiently. "But this is an unusual case. He has a wife to support now."

Suzanne said nothing. She did not wish to discuss family affairs with Mrs. Vale, nor did she wish to have that lady in her home on all occasions. She wondered how it happened that Mrs. Vale, who was so very important a part of Geoffrey's office force, could be away during the afternoon, as she so often was nowadays. She had spoke about it to Geoffrey, who had laughed and replied: "Well, you objected to her being in the office a while back—wanted me to get rid of her. So you ought to be satisfied."

She had not liked that; had not liked his manner. He had been so nice when they discussed Mrs. Vale at the hotel, after she had tried to leave him—had begged her so earnestly to believe that his attachment to his secretary had no personal element. She had been so happy then. But now, more and more, he was slipping into what seemed like indifference. She hated it.

Tomorrow—New Developments.

"If I hadn't promised to come back here and stay and pretend that everything's all right, I'd really leave him," she vowed.

Duncan Hale had been out of town, and she began to miss him, despite her resolutions not to see him again after he had insisted so determinedly on her leaving Geoff.

After all, it had been nice to feel that there was someone within a few miles who really cared for her.

Mrs. Vale and Lolita wished to go uptown after tea, to see some new frocks that were being shown at

one of the hotels. Suzanne did not want to go, protested that she would stay quietly at home.

"Oh, please—" Lolita stopped abruptly. But Suzanne noted the pleading look in the girl's eyes, and realized that she hated to go alone with her mother.

"All right—I'll come along," she answered, and a moment later they were bound for the hotel in Suzanne's car.

Mrs. Vale was making the most of her connection with the Atwoods since Lolita's marriage to Geoffrey's nephew; arriving at the hotel, she was lavish with her greetings of friends of Suzanne's whom she had recently met; in fact, Suzanne began to feel that she was the outsider who had been introduced into the city's inner circle, and that Linda Vale was the old-timer.

Lolita tried on several evening wraps, in response to her mother's urging, and bought a hair ornament which Mrs. Vale thought was especially becoming. Then, suddenly, there was an uproar. Some jewelry had vanished from the table on which it was being shown—nothing of very great value, but the woman in charge was much excited, and summoned a policeman, instead of calling the house detective. Suzanne turned to leave.

Mrs. Vale and Lolita were standing near her. She turned just in time to hear Mrs. Vale murmur: "Stay just a little longer."

"Oh, mother!" exclaimed the girl, desperately.

"Just a little longer—just a moment or two," Mrs. Vale repeated. The girl came to Suzanne's side.

"Don't stay if you don't want to; mother wants me to stay for a while, but you needn't," she said.

"Can't anybody go; we're going to search all of you if we don't find the stuff," announced the policeman.

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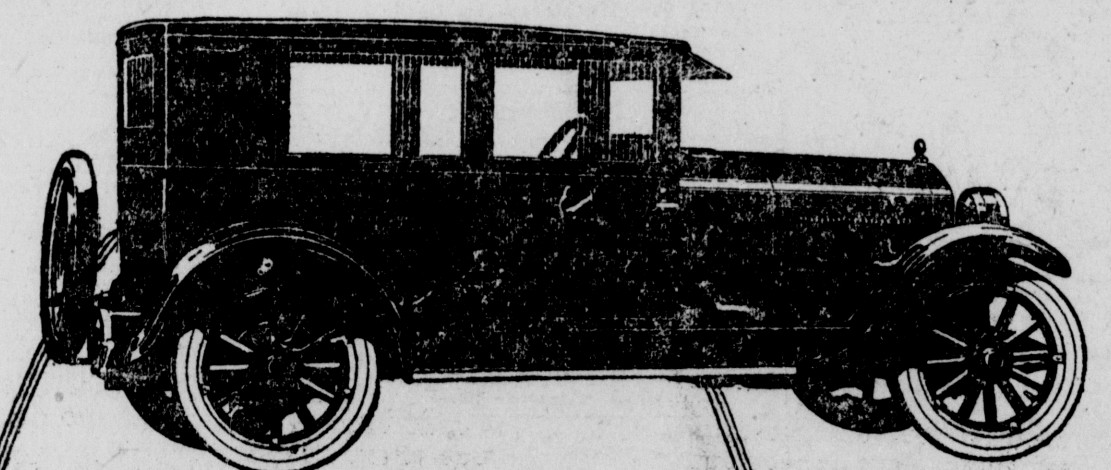
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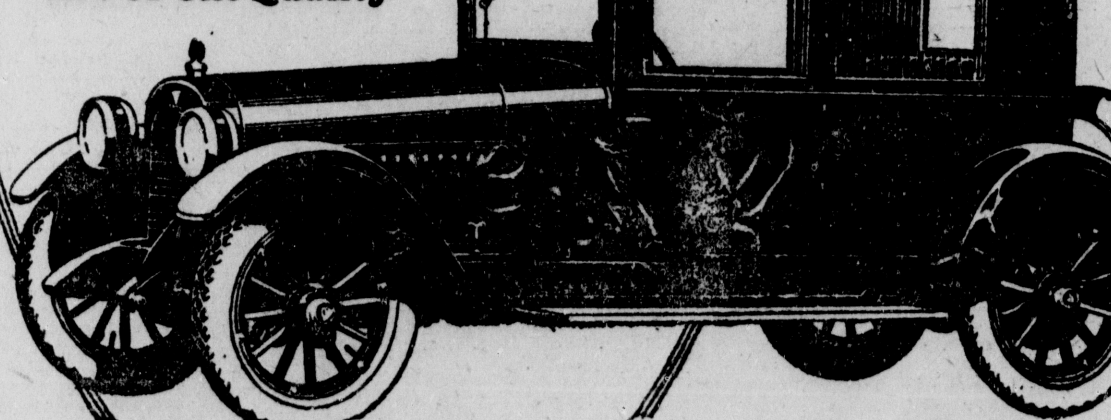


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